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ABBREVIATIONS:

ch = chain; sc = single crochet; tr.tr = triple triple crochet;
ss = slip stitch; sext. dc = sextuple crochet;
hdc = half-double crochet; tog. = together; rep. = repeat;
dc = double crochet; lp = loop; beg. = beginning;
tr = triple crochet; st. = stitch; inc. = increase;
dbl.tr = double triple crochet; dec. = decrease; sp. = space.

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DOILY "NENUPHAR"

MATERIALS : Six-cord-crochet cotton no. 4 – white : 45 g – a crochet hook no. 1.50 (English no. 2.5) (American no. 7).

DIAMETER : 43 cm (17.2 in)

EXPLANATIONS : Make a chain of 12 st. and join into a ring. *1st round :* 4 ch for 1st tr, 35 tr into ring, 1 sl st. into 4th ch of beg. *2nd round :* Rep. 12 times ° 3 tr (4 ch for 1st tr of round), 2 ch °. Close same as 1st round. Make all rounds right side of work towards you. *3rd round :* 3 sl st. to get to 1st ch-space, then rep. 12 times ° 5 tr, 2 ch °. *4th round :* ° 5 tr joined tog., 9 ch °. At end of round, 4 ch and 1 dbl. tr for 9 ch. *5th round :* ° 5 tr into 5th ch of each loop, 6 ch °. *6th-17th rounds :* Work as shown on drawing. Finish 8th round same as 4th. At 9th round, beg. a leaf between each flower, making 1 tr, 5 ch and 1 tr into 5th ch of 9-ch loop. At 10th round, make leaves rep. ° 1 tr, 1 ch, 1 picot (= 5 ch, 1 sc into 1st of 5 ch), 1 ch, 1 tr, 1 ch °, as shown on drawing. Make tr of leaves into each tr of 9th round and into 3rd ch of 5-ch loops. *18th-24th rounds :* At beg. of 18th round, make 1 sl st. into each of first 5 ch of 17th round. Then work with net st., making tr into ch-loops (and not into ch), as shown on drawing. You get 8 nets above each motif of leaves (total = 96 nets). Make last net of 18th to 24th rounds with ch and 1 dc (or tr, as shown on drawing). *25th-27th rounds :* At 25th round, make 5 tr of each motif into 4th ch of each loop. Finish as shown on drawing.

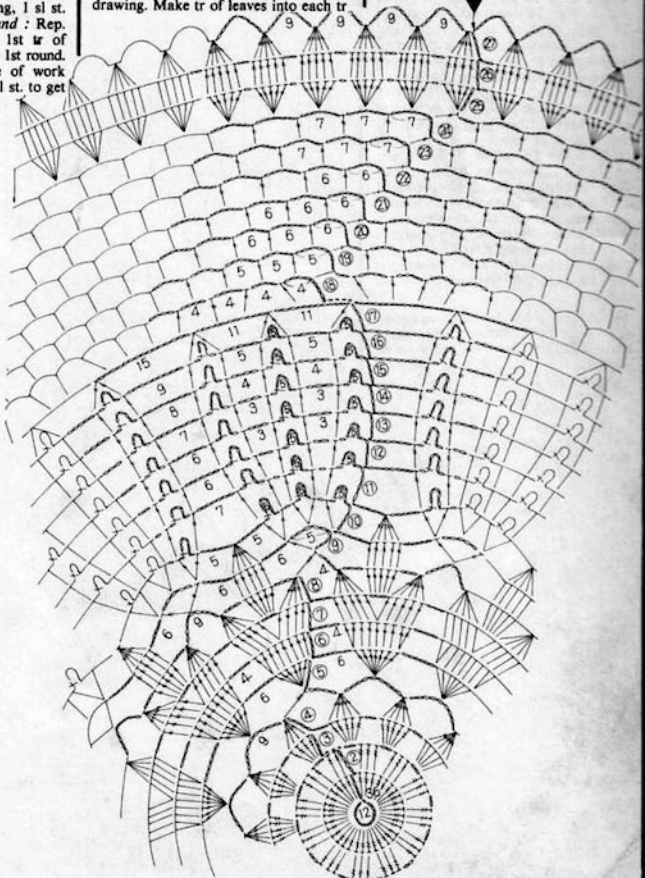

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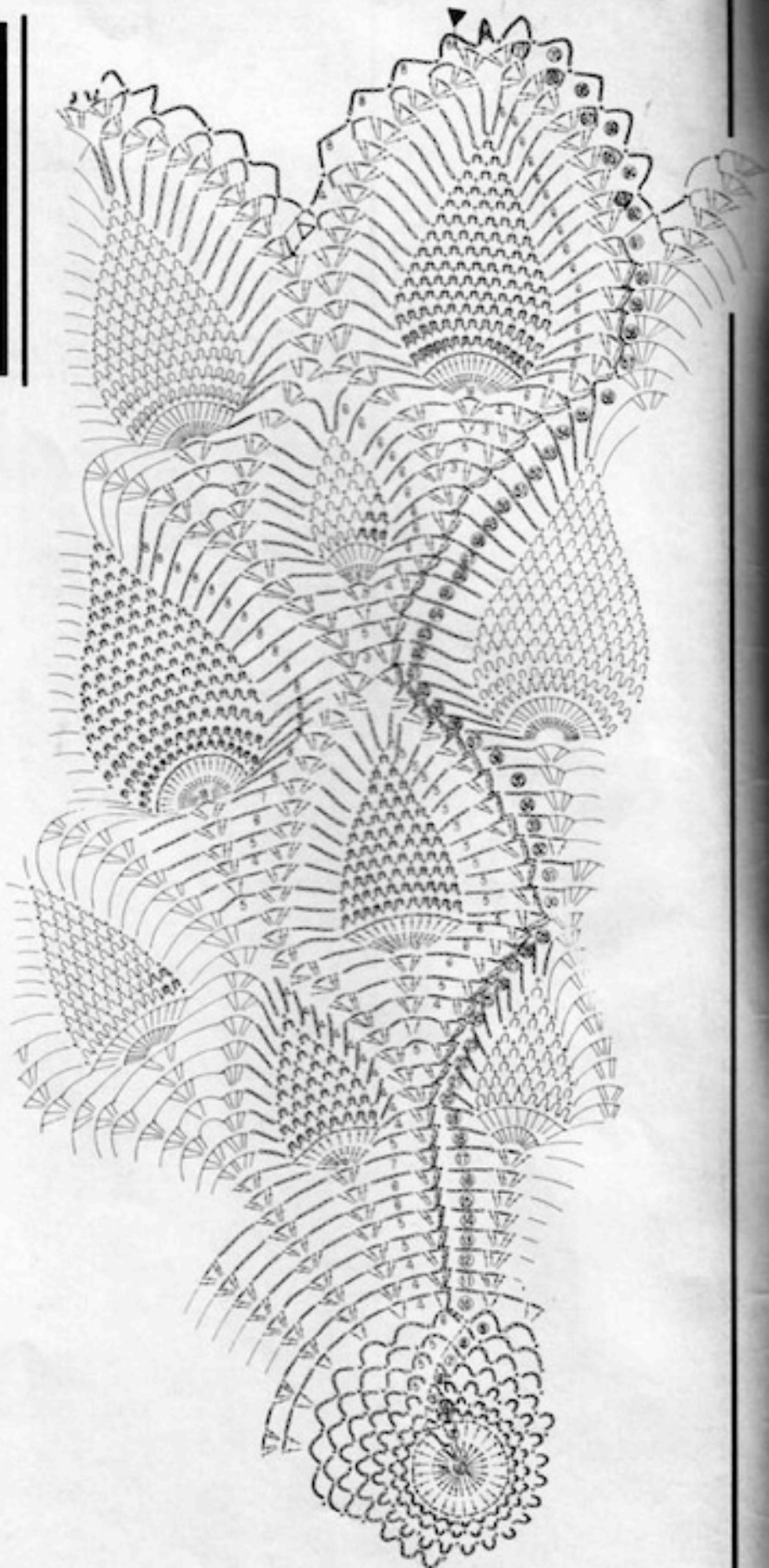
TABLE CENTER "SATURN"

MATERIALS : Six-cord-crochet otton no. 40, white : 95 g – a crochet ook no. 0.75 (English no. 5.5) American no. 13).

DIAMETER : 57 cm (22.8 in.).

EXPLANATIONS : Make a chain of st. and join into a ring. Work in a ng, up to 60th round, and always ith right side of work towards you. *st round :* 3 ch for 1st dc, 23 dc into ng, 1 sl st. into 3rd ch of beg. *2nd ound :* Rep. 24 times * 1 dc, 1 ch *. *rd round :* Rep. 23 times * 1 sc king ch of 2nd round, 3 ch *. Finish ith 1 sc, 1 ch and 1 hdc into sc of eg. You get 24 loops. *4th-8th rounds :* 4 loops of 3 ch at 4th round and ch at following rounds, as shown on rawing. From 5th round, finish each ound with 2 ch and 1 dc. *9th round :* 4 loops of 6 ch. *10th round :* 3 sl st. to eg. round in middle of 1st ch loop of ound before. Then rep. 24 times * 1 c, 2 ch, 1 dc into same ch as 1st, 4 h *. *11th-17th rounds :* Shells and h spaces, as shown on drawing. *18th-0th rounds :* Make 12 pineapples of st line, beg. at the same time those of nd line, and so on, as shown on rawing. At 60th round, 24 pineapples f last line are begun. *61st-71st rounds :* inish separately each pineapple, orking back and forth as shown on rawing.

SHAPING : All around pineapples, ep. * 1 sc, 8 ch *. Between 2 pineapples, ake 4 ch, 2 dc and 3 ch, as shown on rawing.



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DOILY "DAISIES"

MATERIALS : Six-cord-crochet cotton no. 40, white : 55 g – a crochet hook no. 0.75 (English no. 5.5) (American no. 13).

DIAMETER : 50 cm (20 in.).

EXPLANATIONS : Make 4 ch and join into a ring with 1 sl st. *1st round :* Rep. 6 times * 1 dc, 2 ch *. Make always 3 ch for 1st dc of round and close each round with 1 sl st. into 3rd ch of beg. *2nd round :* 1 sl st. into 1st 2-ch space of 1st round. Then rep. * 1 dc, 2 ch, 1 dc into ch space, 2 ch *. *3rd round :* Beg. hexagon : inc. 1 net into each odd net and make 1 full net (4 dc : 1 into each dc, 2 into ch space) into even nets. *4th-10th rounds :* Cont. working in a ring and with right side of work towards you ; follow drawing and diagram ; inc. 1 net in each corner at odd rounds and make always 1 full net above previous full nets. *10th-40th rounds :* Cont. working in a ring, inc. in corners as before and rep. motif on each part of hexagon (88 nets, as shown on diagram). *41st round :* net st. (rep. * 1 dc, 2 ch *), inc. 1 net in each corner. *42nd-43rd rounds :* check st. (rep. * 4 dc, 2 ch *), don't inc. in corners, as shown on drawing.

SHAPING : After finishing 43rd round, turn work, make 1 sl st. into last net, turn work again, make 2 rounds of loops (last loop of 1st round : 2 ch and 1 dc) and 1 round of sc, as shown on drawing.

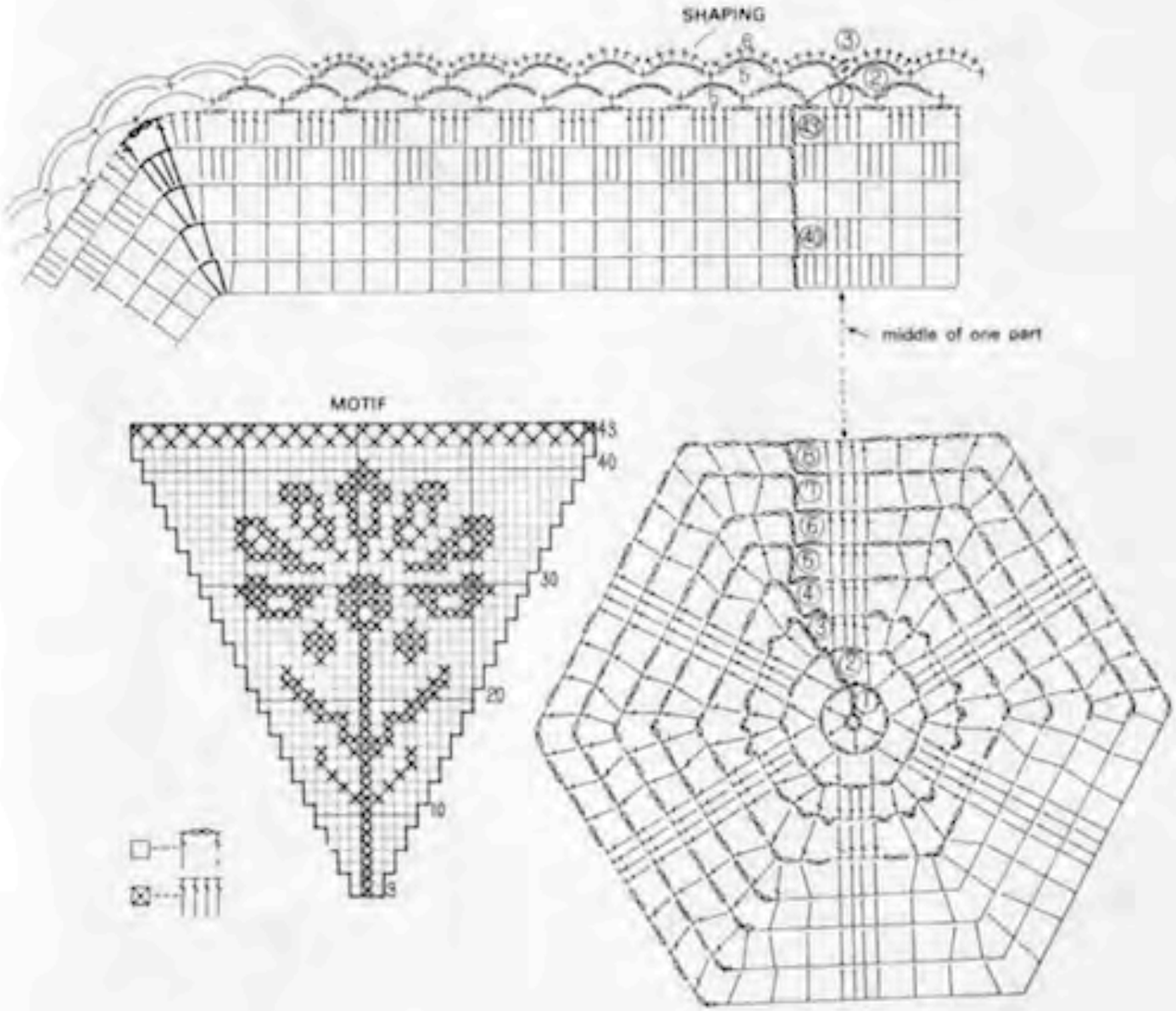

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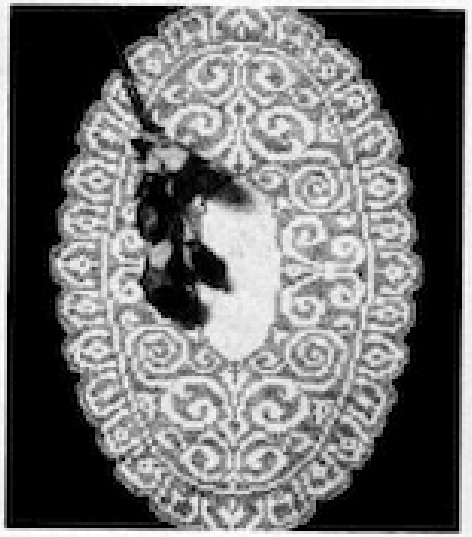
TABLE CENTER "ARA-BESQUES"

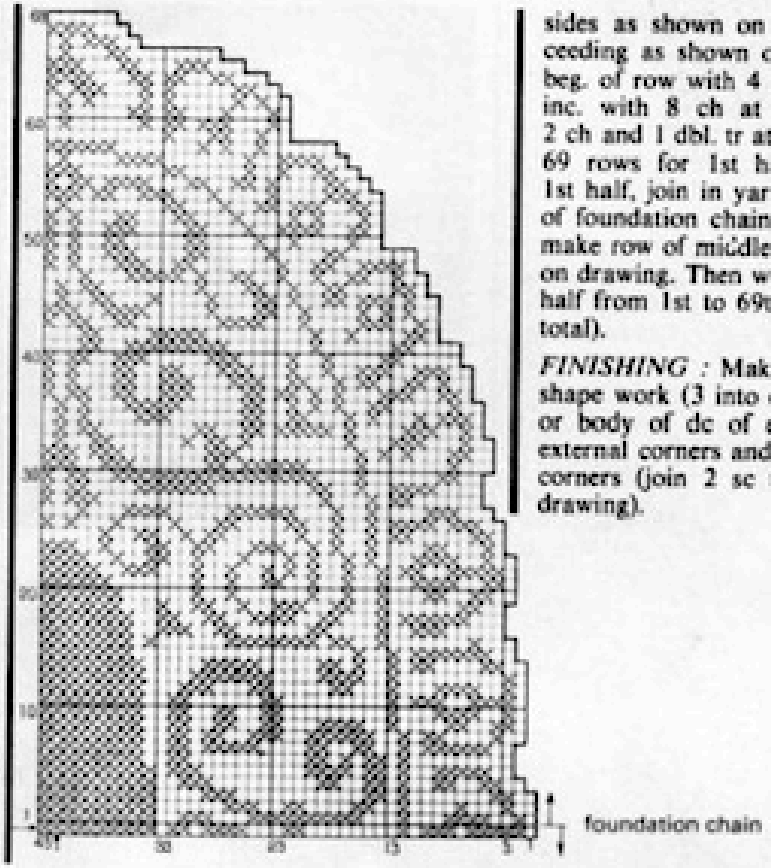
MATERIALS : Six-cord-crochet cotton no. 40, white : 75 g – a crochet hook no. 0.60 (English no. 6.5) (American no. 15).

MEASUREMENTS : 41×57 cm (16.4×22.8 in.).

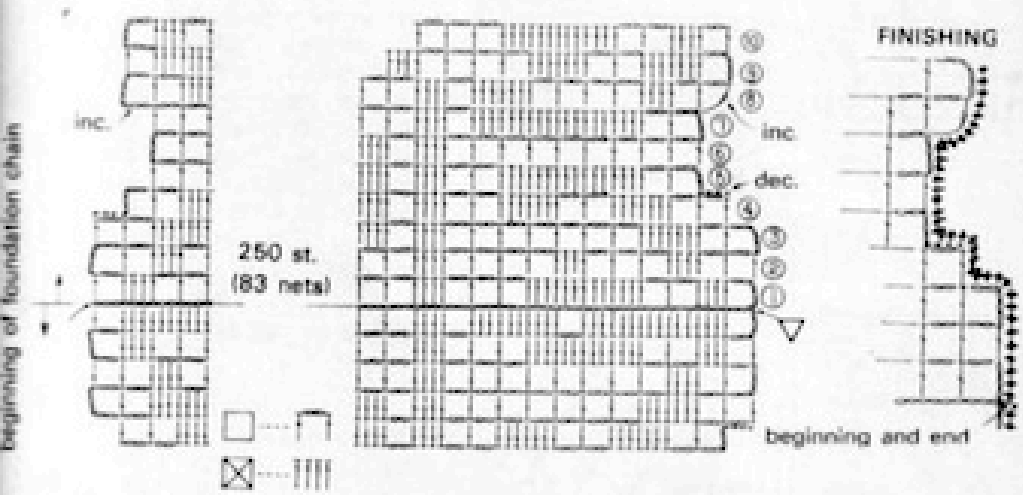
EXPLANATIONS : Make 2 halves, on both sides of foundation chain. The diagram shows the 1st half of rows. Make 2nd half of rows reversing work of 1st half, that is : make first 42 nets looking at diagram from right to left, then make from 41st to 1st net, looking at diagram from left to right. – Beg. 1st half as follows : into foundation chain of 250 st., make 5 ch, 1 dc into 9th ch from hook (= 1st empty net), 1 dc into next 3 ch (= 1 full net), then

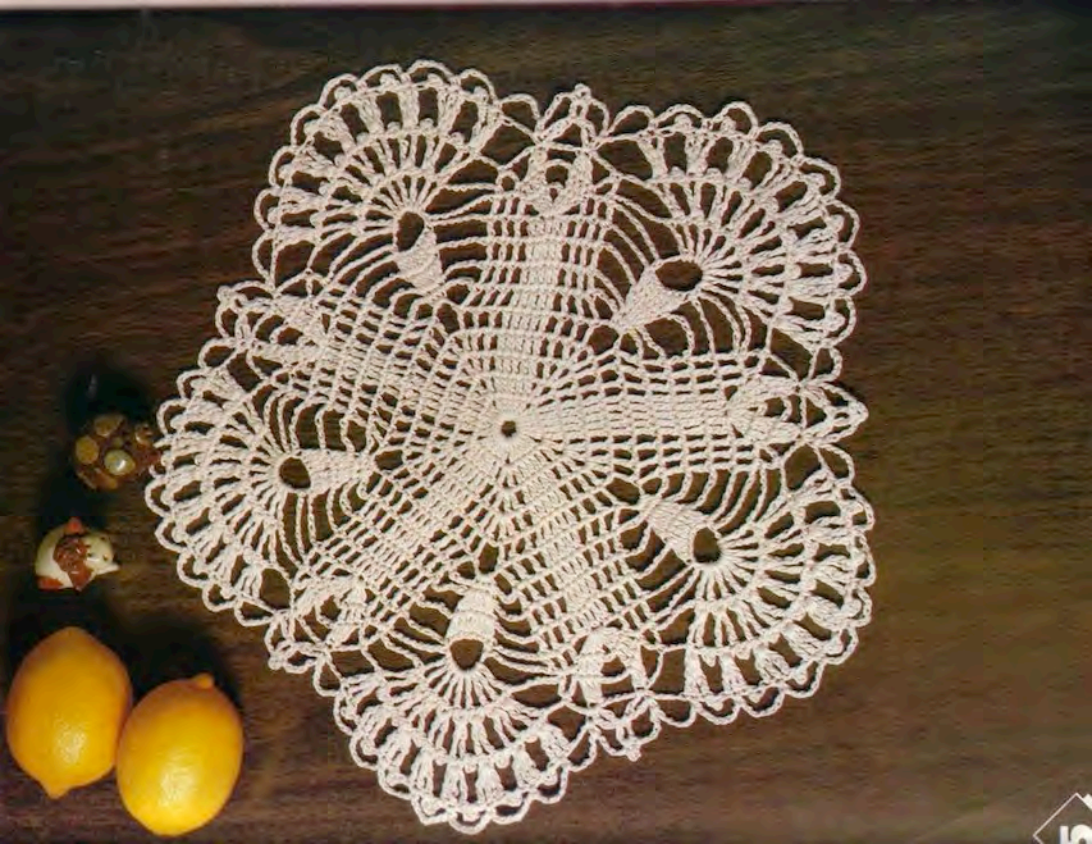


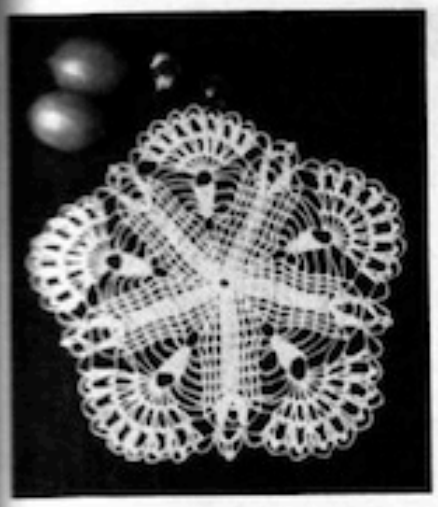
rep. * twice * 2 ch, 1 dc into 3rd ch *, cont. with 12 dc to get 4 full nets (= 13 dc : 3 for net + 1 to end empty net before), 3 empty nets, 1 full net, 3 empty nets, 10 full nets (= 31 dc), 3 empty nets, 3 full nets, 2 empty nets *, 17 full nets (= 52 dc) and rep. from * to * reversing work. Beg. following rows with 5 ch (see drawing) and end with 2 ch, 1 dc into 3rd ch of edge. While working, inc. and dec. on both sides as shown on diagram, and proceeding as shown on drawing (dec. at beg. of row with 4 sl st. into 1st net – inc. with 8 ch at beg. of row, with 2 ch and 1 dbl. tr at end of row). Make 69 rows for 1st half. After finishing 1st half, join in yarn on the other side of foundation chain (see drawing) and make row of middle of work, as shown on drawing. Then work same as for 1st half from 1st to 69th rows (= 70 rows total).



FINISHING : Make 1 round of sc to shape work (3 into each net, taking ch or body of dc of edge), inc. 1 sc at external corners and dec. 1 sc at inside corners (join 2 sc tog., as shown on drawing).





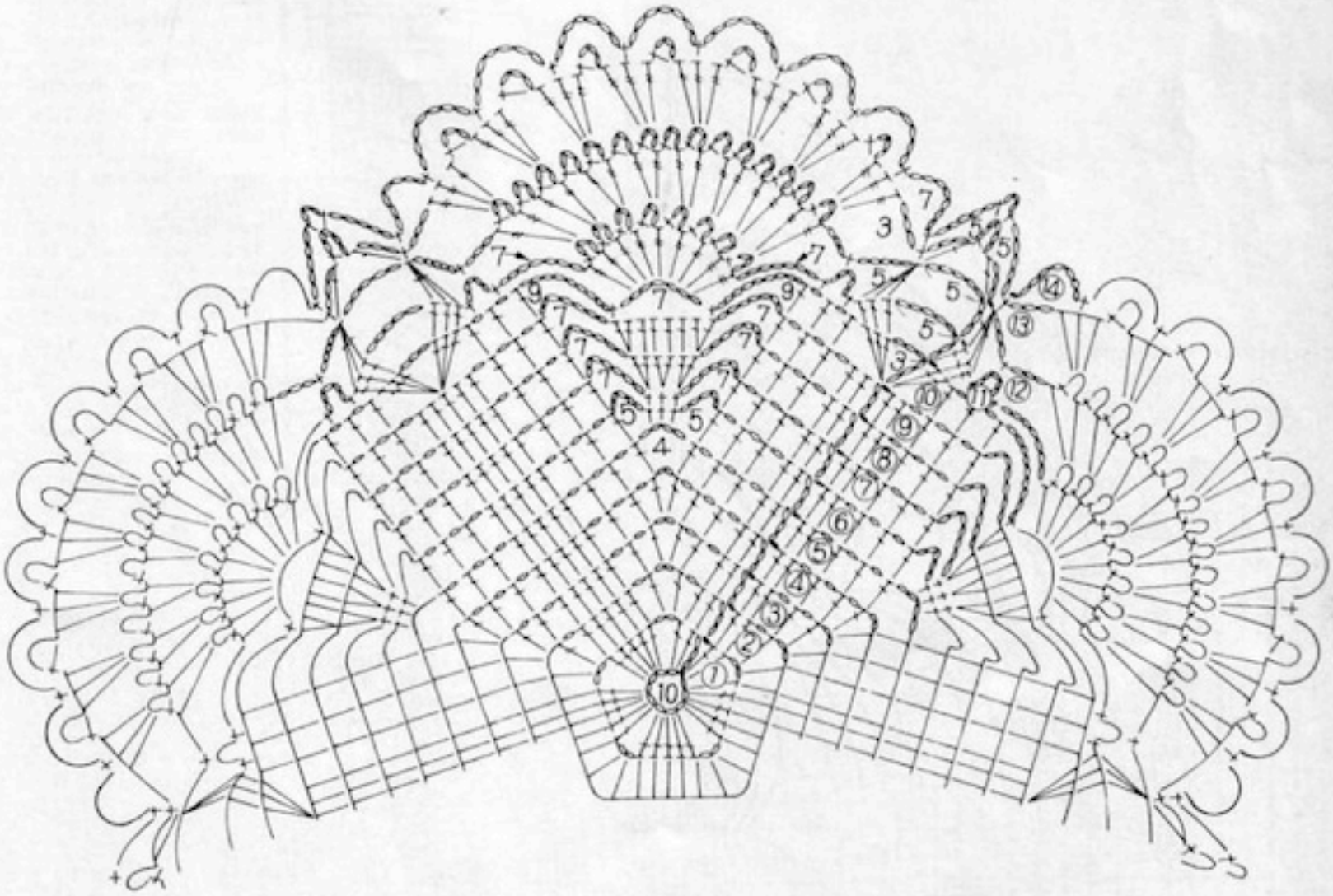


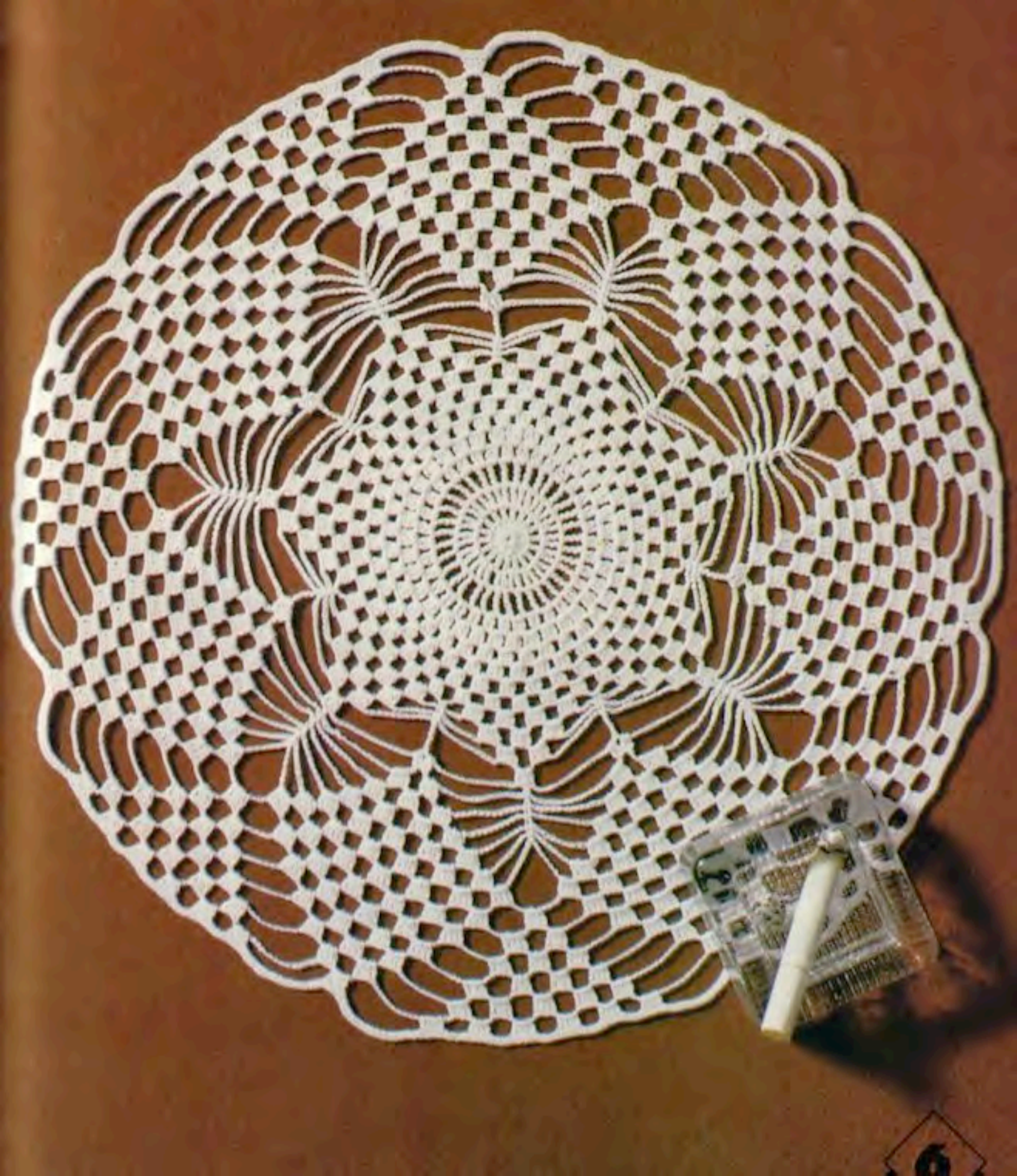
DOILY "STARFISH"

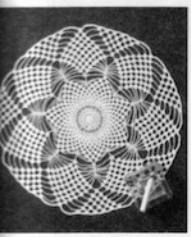
MATERIALS : Cotton not-twisted yarn; beige : 25 g – a crochet hook no. 2.

DIAMETER : 30 cm (12 in.).

EXPLANATIONS : Make 10 ch and join into a ring. *1st round :* dc into ring and ch as shown on drawing. Make always 3 ch for 1st dc of round and close each round with 1 sl st. into 3rd ch of beg. Work with right side facing. *2nd-5th rounds :* Up to 4th round, inc. in each corner, making 1 dc, 2 ch and 1 dc into 2-ch loop of round before. At 5th round, make 4 ch in each corner. *6th-14th rounds :* At 6th round, beg. fans with 3 sc into ch loop of each corner and cont. as shown on drawing. At 11th round, make picot between 9 tr of each fan with 3 ch, 1 sc (see last pages of magazine).





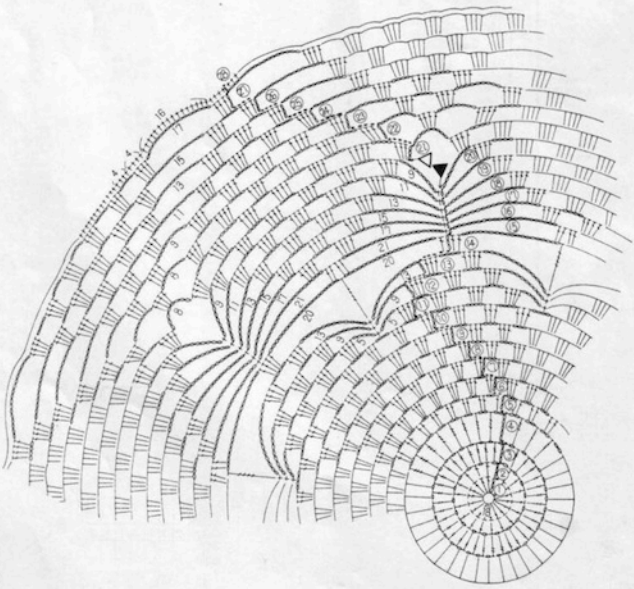


DOILY "COBWEB"

MATERIALS : Six-cord-crochet cotton no. 40, white : 20 g – a crochet hook no. 0.75 (English no. 5.5) (American no. 13).

DIAMETER : 27 cm (10.8 in.).

EXPLANATIONS : Begin at center. Make a loop with end of cotton. *1st round :* 3 ch, 17 dc into loop, 1 sl st. into 3rd ch of beg. *2nd round :* * 1 dc into each dc of 1st round (3 ch for 1st dc of round), 1 ch *. Close with 1 sl st. (same for all rounds). *3rd round :* * 1 tr into each dc and ch of 2nd round (4 ch for 1st tr of round), except into last ch, 1 ch * (= 35 tr total). *4th round :* 1 sl st. into 1st ch of 3rd round, then rep. inserting hook into ch between tr, * 1 dbl. tr (5 ch for 1st dbl. tr of round), 2 ch *. *5th-10th rounds :* Beg. each round with sl st. to get to 1st ch space of round before and make dc into ch spaces and ch, as shown on drawing. *11th-13th rounds :* dc, ch and sc, as shown on drawing. Beg. 11th round with 3 sl st. to get to 1st ch space of round before ; beg. following rounds into last ch space of round before : before beg. round, turn work wrong side up and make 4 sl st., thus getting to last ch space of round before, turn work again and work right side facing. *14th round :* Rep. * 4 dc, 20 ch, 1 tr. tr into sc of round before, 20 ch *. (beg. round with 3 ch into last but one ch of last ch space, as shown on drawing). *15th round :* * 1 sc (into 3rd dc of each group), 21 ch, 2 dc on both sides of tr. tr, 21 ch *. *16th-27th rounds :* Work as shown on drawing. After finishing 20th round, break off cotton. Join in where indicated and work always right side facing. *28th round :* sc all around, as shown on drawing.



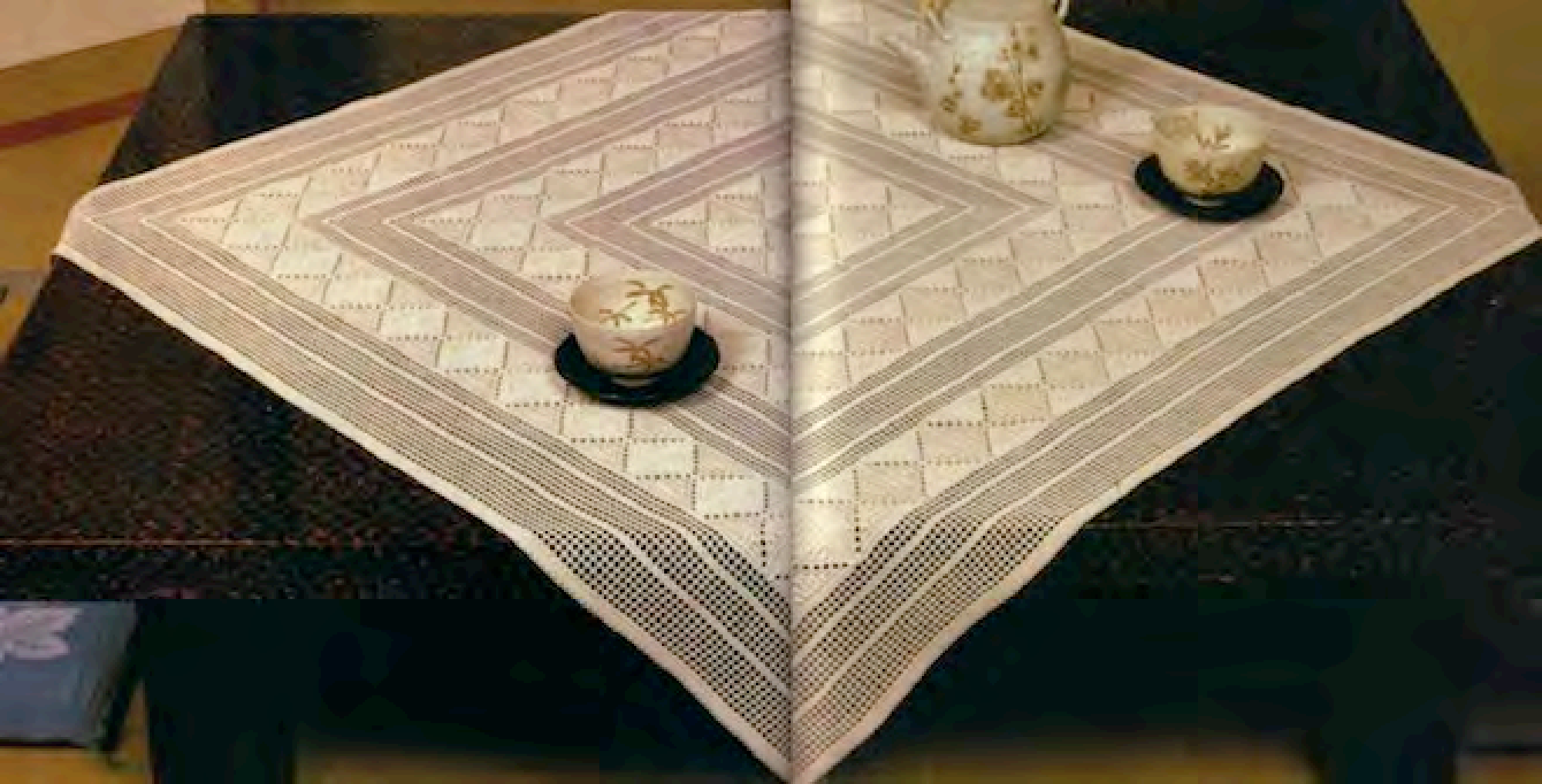


TABLE-CLOTH "MOSAIC"

MATERIALS : Six-cord crochet cotton no. 40, beige : 370 g – a crochet hook no. 0.75 (English no. 5.5) (American no. 13).

MEASUREMENTS : 98 cm×98 cm (39.2 in.).

EXPLANATIONS : Make first the 74 square motifs. Make each motif separately as follows : *1st round :* Make a loop with end of yarn. 4 times into loop * 3 dc joined tog. (3 ch for 1st dc of round), 5 ch (at end of round, 2 ch and 1 dc, as shown on drawing) *. *2nd-7th rounds* : Work following drawing. Make always 3 ch for 1st dc. Close each round with 1 sl st. into 3rd ch of beg. and make 1 sl st. into each of next 3 st. to beg. round in the middle of loop. From 3rd round, make popcorn st. with 5 dc (see last pages of magazine) and make 1 ch before and after each popcorn st. After finishing 7th round, break off yarn.

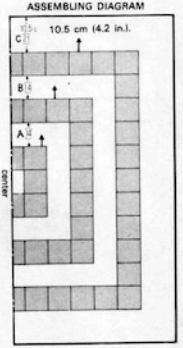
JOINING MOTIFS : Place motifs wrong side on wrong side and overcast to get 3 frames (with respectively 8, 24 and 40 motifs), as shown on assembling diagram.

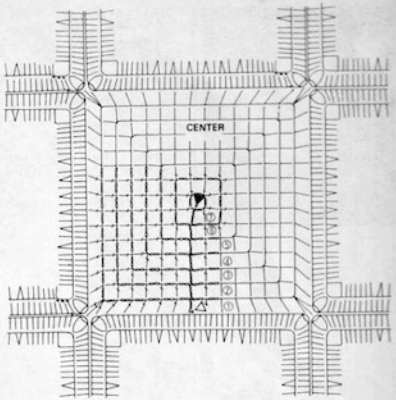
FILLING CENTER : Join in yarn where indicated on drawing and work along inside edge of 8 motif frame with net st., towards center. Dec. in corners with dc joined tog., as shown on drawing.

FRAMES A, B, C : Work around motifs frames as shown on drawing (14 rounds for frames A and B – 21 rounds for frame C).

ASSEMBLING : Overcast frames, wrong side on wrong side.

ASSEMBLING DIAGRAM





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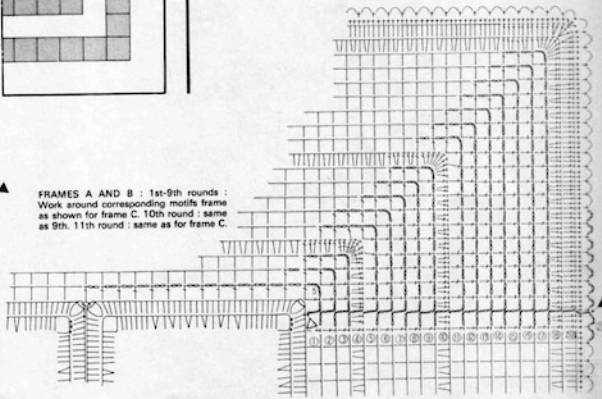

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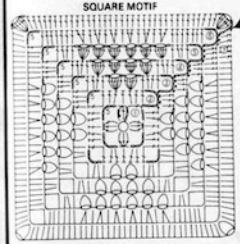


FRAMES A AND B : 1st-9th rounds : Work around corresponding motifs frame as shown for frame C. 10th round : same as 9th. 11th round : same as for frame C.

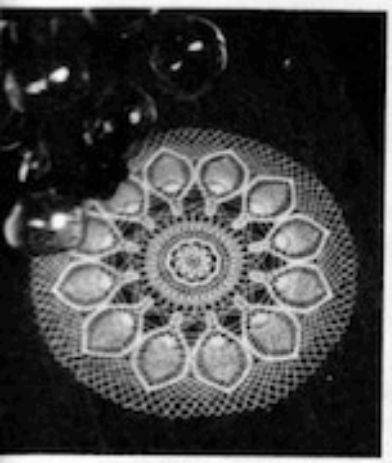
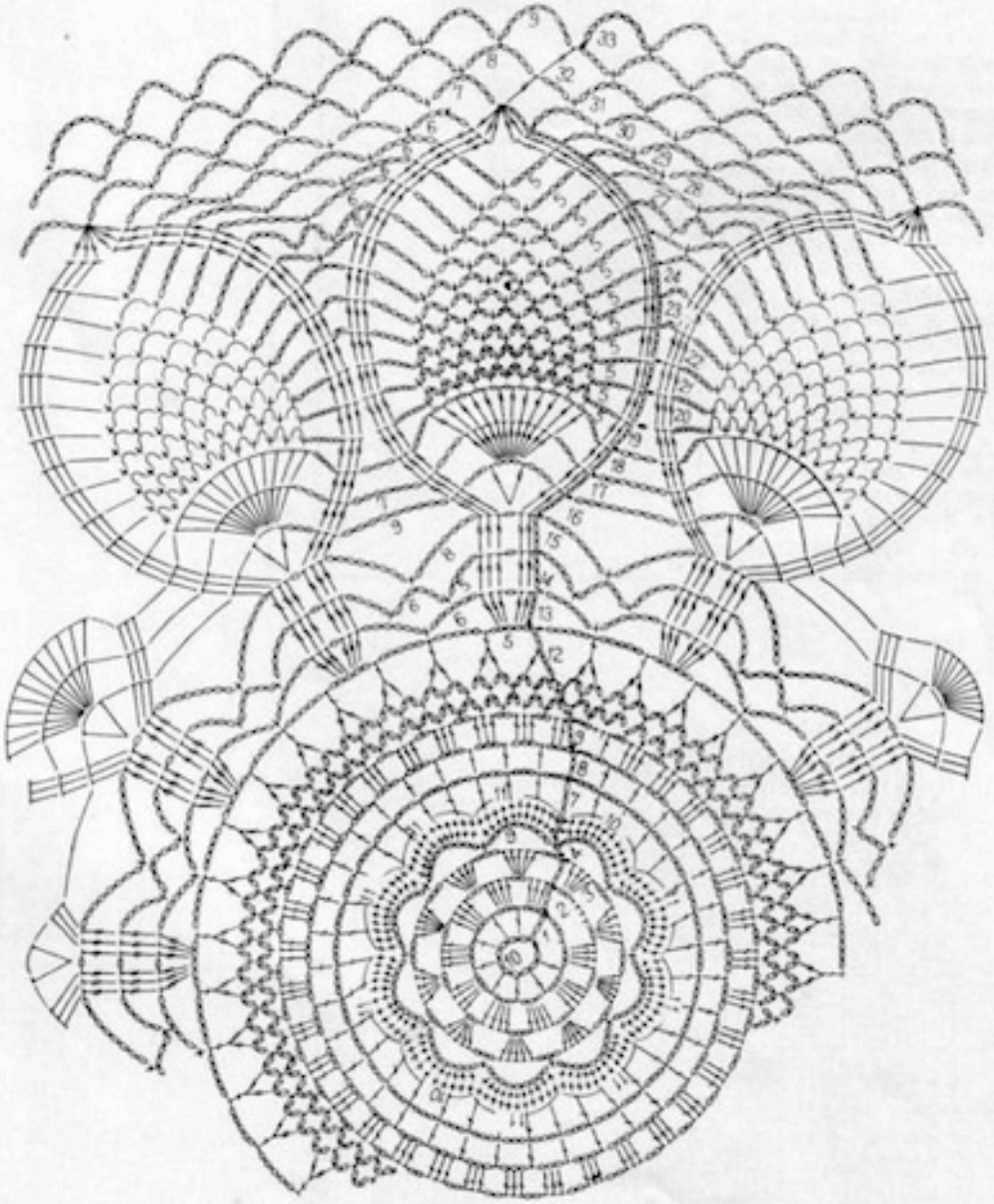


TABLE CENTER "ANEMONE"

MATERIALS : Six-cord-crochet cotton no. 40, beige : 40 g – a crochet hook no. 0.75 (English no. 5.5) (American no. 13).

DIAMETER : 32 cm (12.8 in.).

EXPLANATIONS : Make 10 ch and join into a ring. *1st round :* 6 ch (3 ch for 1st dc, 3 ch for 1st space), then rep. 9 times * 1 dc into ring, 3 ch *. Close each round up to 30th with 1 sl st. *2nd round :* 1 sl st. into 1st ch space. Rep. * 4 dc, 2 ch * (3 ch for 1st dc). *3rd round :* Clusters of 5 dc (as shown on drawing) separated by 3 ch. *4th round :* Rep. * 1 sc, 9 ch *. *5th round :* 108 sc (11 sc into each of first 4 loops, 10 sc into next loop, 11 sc into each of next 4 loops and 10 sc into last loop). *6th round :* 108 sc. *7th round :* Rep. 36 times * 1 dc, 3 ch, skip 2 st. of round before *. *8th-9th rounds :* dc and ch, as shown on drawing. *10th-11th rounds :* 72 loops of 3 ch. *12th round :* 1 sl st. into loop, 4 ch, 1 tr into next loop, 8 ch. Then rep. * 1 inverted "Y" (= yarn over hook 3 times, 1 tr into next loop, keeping 3 loops on hook yarn over hook twice, 1 tr into next loop, close loops once 3, once 2), 5 ch *. *13th-15th rounds :* tr (4 ch for 1st tr of round), ch and sc, as shown on drawing. *16th-33rd rounds :* Follow drawing. At 17th round, make bottom of each petal with 12 tr. At end of 31st round, make 3 ch and 1 tr into the first 6 tr joined tog. of round before ; close following round with 4 ch and 1 tr into st. closing round before.



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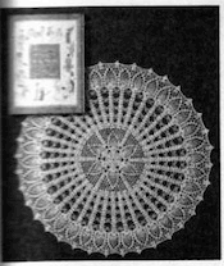
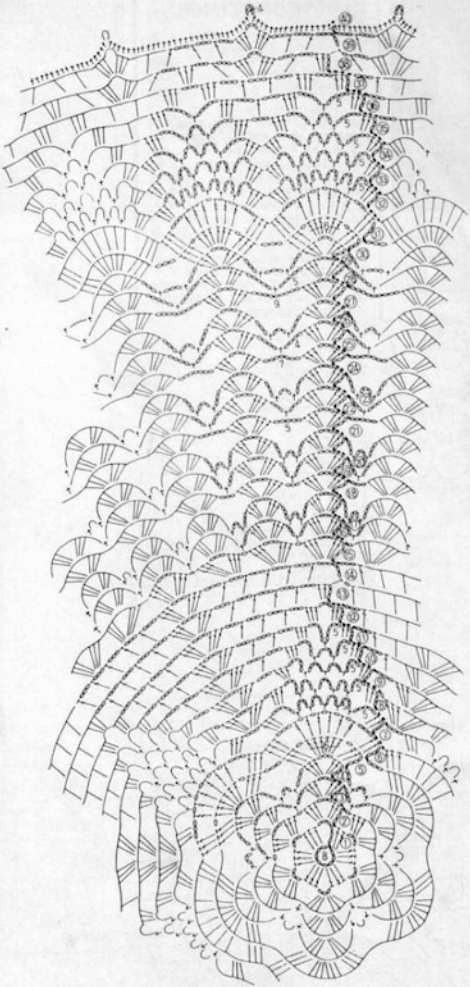


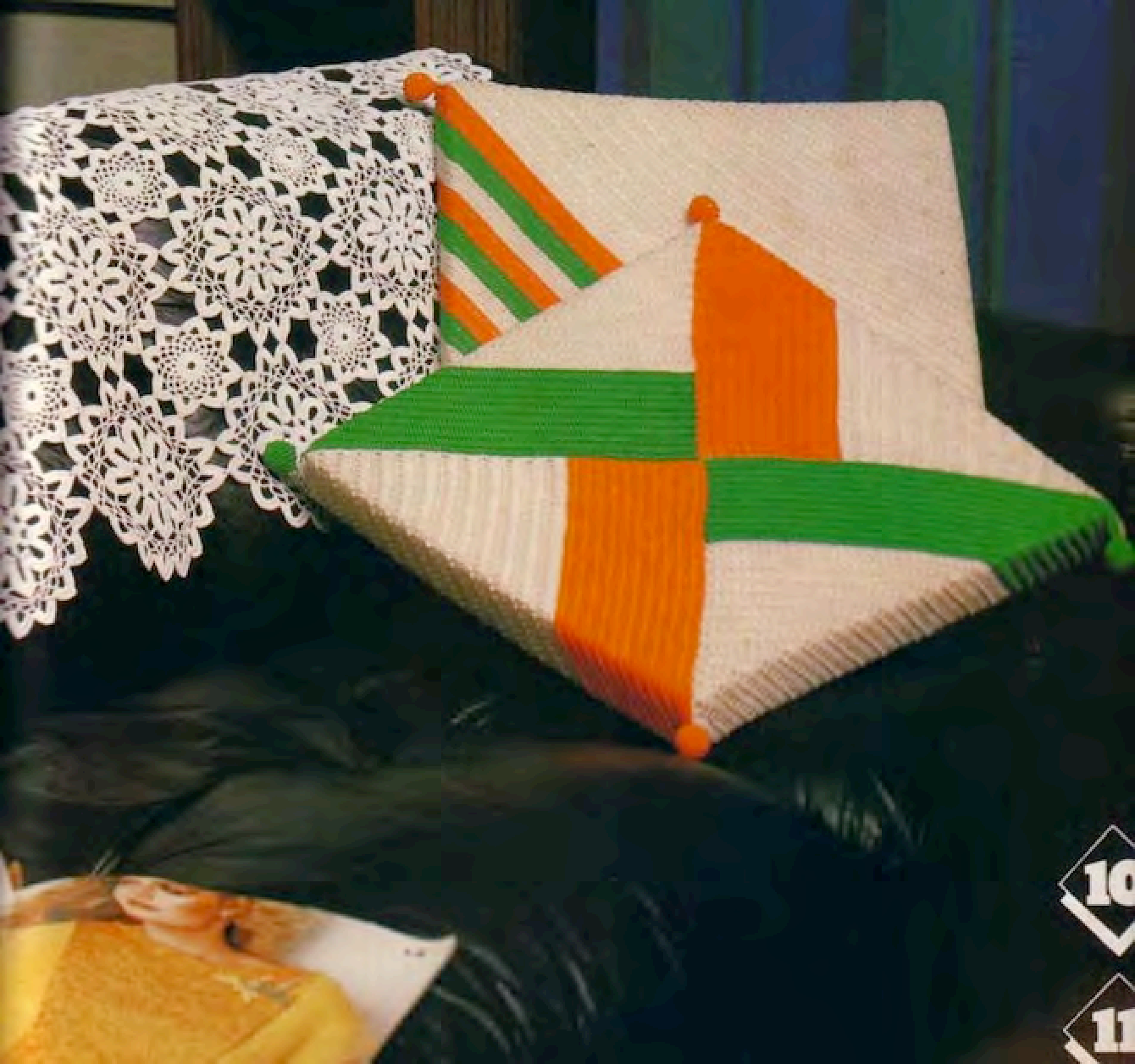
TABLE CENTER "VENUS"

MATERIALS : Six-cord-crochet cotton no. 40, pale yellow : 50 g – a crochet hook no. 0.75 (English no. 5.5) (American no. 13).

DIAMETER : 48 cm (19.2 in.).

EXPLANATIONS : Make 8 ch and join into a ring. *1st round :* dc and ch into ring, as shown on drawing (3 ch for 1st dc of round). Close with 1 sl st. into 3rd ch of beg. *2nd round :* Into each ch space of 1st round, make 1 shell (3 dc, 3 ch, 3 dc) and separate shells with 1 ch. *3rd-4th rounds :* 3 sl st. to beg. rounds into center ch space of 1st shell of round before, then make shells, ch and sc (insert hook under ch spaces, and not into ch) as shown on drawing. *5th-14th rounds :* Cont. working right side facing as shown on drawing. At 6th round, make center part of bottom of each of 6 pineapples with 6 tr separated with 1 ch. At end of 13th round, instead of 3 ch, make 1 ch and 1 hdc into 3rd ch of beg. At 14th round, you get 11 nets between shells. *15th-29th rounds :* Shells (36 at each round) and ch loops, as shown on drawing. *30th-39th rounds :* Make 1 pineapple above each shell (= 36 pineapples). Finish 38th round same as 13th. *40th round :* sc (1 into each dc, 3 into each ch space and into center loop of each shell, make 2 sc, 4 ch and 2 sc.).





PILLOWS

SLANTWISE STRIPED PILLOW

MATERIALS : Soft knitting twist, beige : 70 g, orange : 40 g, green : 40 g – a square piece of foam rubber, 40×40 ×5 cm (16×16×2 in.) – a crochet hook no. 1.50 (English no. 2.5) (American no. 7).

EXPLANATIONS : Make separately 4 pieces A, B, C and D, 30 cm square (12 in.) as follows : Beg. with beige yarn. Make a foundation chain of 98 st. (95 st. for chain + 3 st. for 1st dc). Beg. 1st row making 1 dc into 5th st. from hook and work straight up, making alternately 1 row of dc and 1 row with net st. (see drawing) to get 29 rows. Change color (see drawing) and cont. working straight, making alternately 1 row of sc and 1 row of dc (see drawing). To make those rows, take back yarn only of st. of row before to get a corded appearance.

ASSEMBLING AND FINISHING : Arrange pieces as shown on drawing, overcast right sides inside. Fold corners towards center following dotted lines of drawing and join edges getting marks in front of one another. Put foam rubber inside and close last side. Make the 4 decorating tufts (2 green tufts, 2 orange tufts) same as for slantwise striped pillow (see drawing of the latter). Fasten one tuft same color as stripe in each corner.

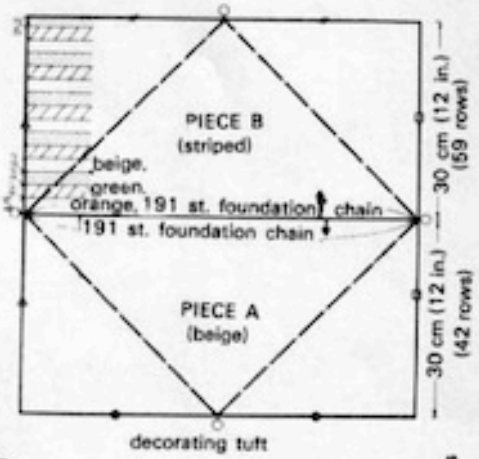
PILLOW WITH INTERLACING BIG STRIPES

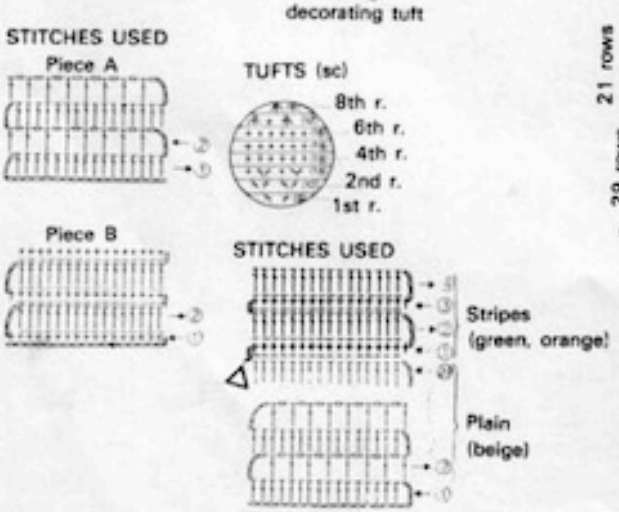
MATERIALS : Soft knitting twist, beige : 75 g, orange : 25 g, green : 25 g – A square piece of foam rubber, 40×40 cm (16×16 in.), 5 cm thick (2 in.). a crochet hook no. 1.50 (English no. 2.5) (American no. 7).

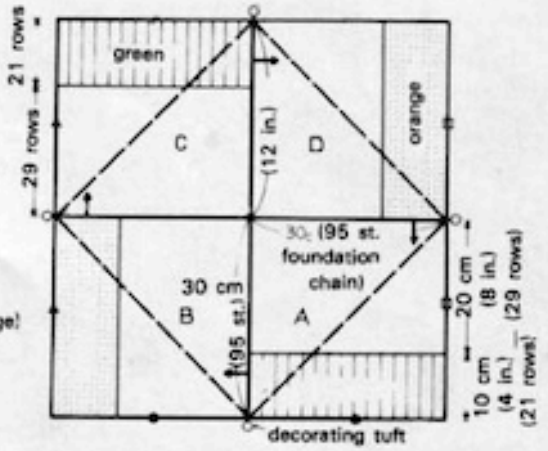
EXPLANATIONS : Make 2 pieces. *PIECE A* (beige) : Make a foundation chain of 191 st. + 3 ch for 1st dc of 1st row. Make next dc into 5th st. from hook. Work straight up with fancy st. (see drawing) to get 42 rows.

PIECE B : Beg. with orange yarn. Make a foundation chain of 191 st. + 1 st. to turn. Work straight up making alternately 1 row of sc and 1 row of dc (see drawing) to get 59 rows. From 2nd row, take back yarn only of st. of row before to get a corded appearance. Make first 5 rows with orange yarn, then change color every 4 rows always in the same order : orange, green, beige and finish with 2 beige rows.

ASSEMBLING AND FINISHING : Overcast the edges of foundation ch. of both pieces. Fold in corners towards center of square following dotted lines of drawing and join edges getting marks in front of one another. Put foam rubber inside and close last edge. Make the 4 decorating tufts as shown on drawing (2 green tufts and 2 orange tufts). Put one tuft at each corner, alternating colors.







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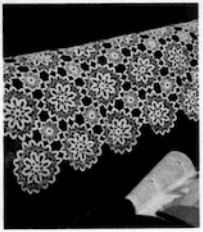
SETTEE COVER "SUMMER FLOWER"

MATERIALS : Six-cord-crochet cotton no. 30, white : 370 g – a crochet hook no. 0.75 (English no. 5.5) (American no. 13).

EXPLANATIONS : MOTIFS : Make 12 st. and join into a ring. *1st round :* Ch for 1st dc, 31 dc into ring, 1 sl st. into 3rd ch of beg. *2nd round :* Rep.

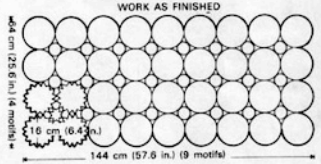


* 1 popcorn st. of 4 dc, 6 ch, skip 3 dc of 1st round *. Close with 1 sl st. into head of 1st popcorn st. and make 3 sl st. more to begin next round in the middle of 1st loop. *3rd round :* 3 ch and 3 dc into 1st loop. Rep. * 10 ch, 4 dc into next loop, 1 ch, 4 dc *. Finish with 4 dc into 1st loop, 1 sc into 3rd ch of beg. *4th round :* Into each 10 ch loop, make 13 dc, 1 ch, 13 dc ; then make 1 sc into ch of 3rd round. Close with 1 st. into sc between 2 groups of dc and break off yarn. *5th round :* Join in yarn at top of a petal. Following drawing, rep. * 1 sc, 8 ch, 2 tr joined tog., 8 ch *. *6th-8th rounds :* 32 loops at each round, making sc as shown on drawing. For last loop of each round, make 2 or 3 ch and 1 dc or tr, according to loop length, as shown on drawing. *9th round :* dc, ch and sc, as shown on drawing.

JOINING MOTIFS : From 2nd motif, while making last round, join motifs with sl st., as shown on drawing. After finishing 1st line of 9 motifs, join motifs with one another and with motifs of 1st line (see work as finished).

FILLING MOTIFS : Make 24 motifs, following drawing. While making 6th round of each motif, join with 4 larger motifs with sl st.

WORK AS FINISHED



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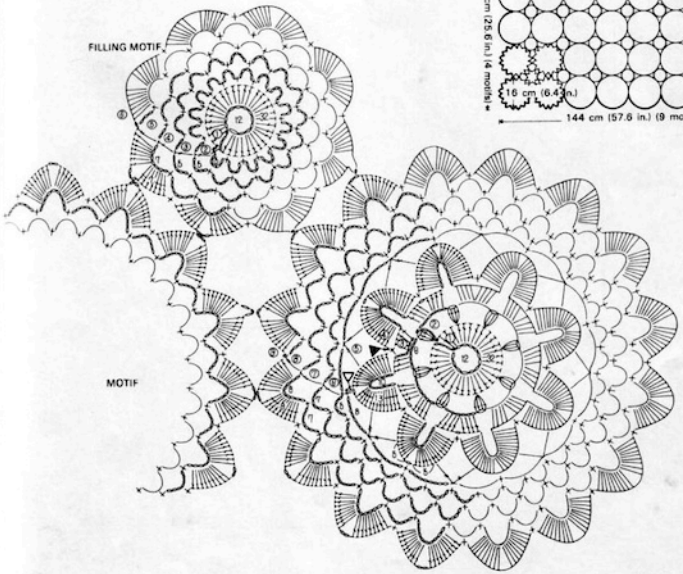

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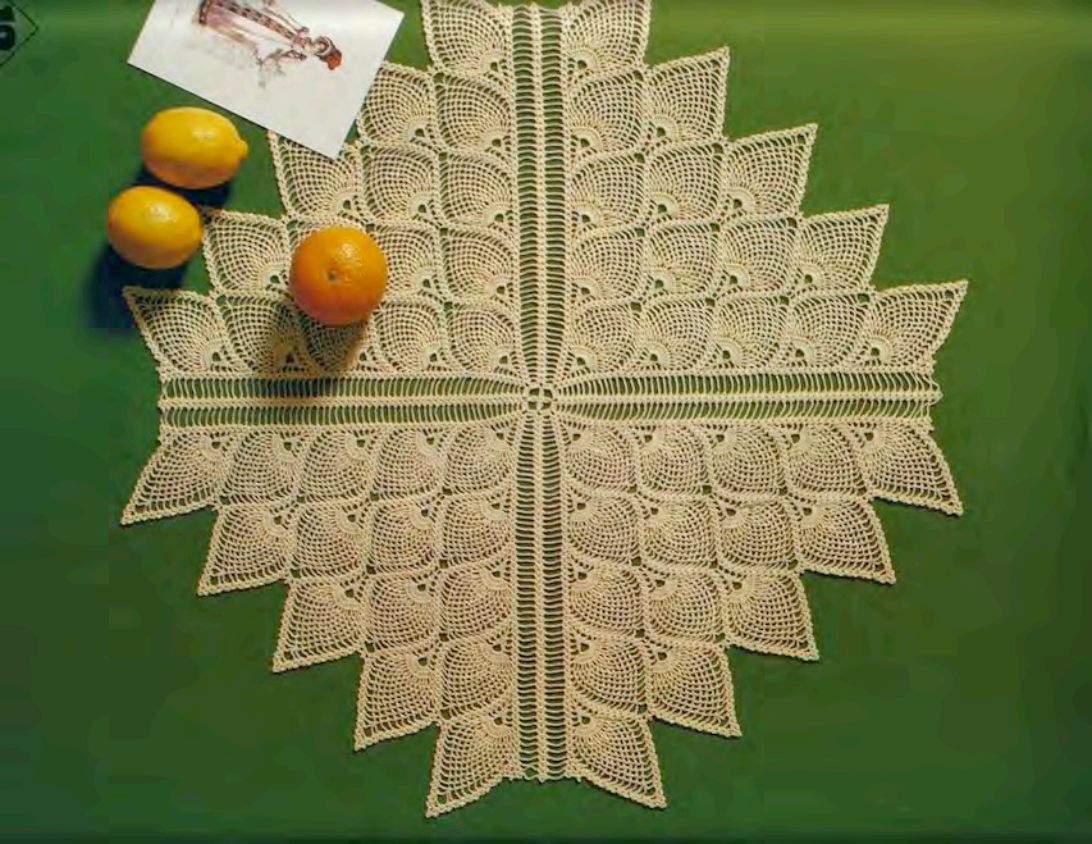

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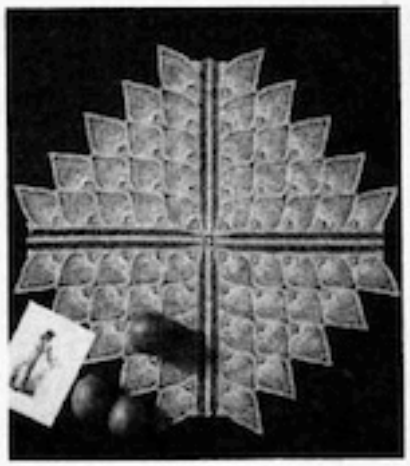
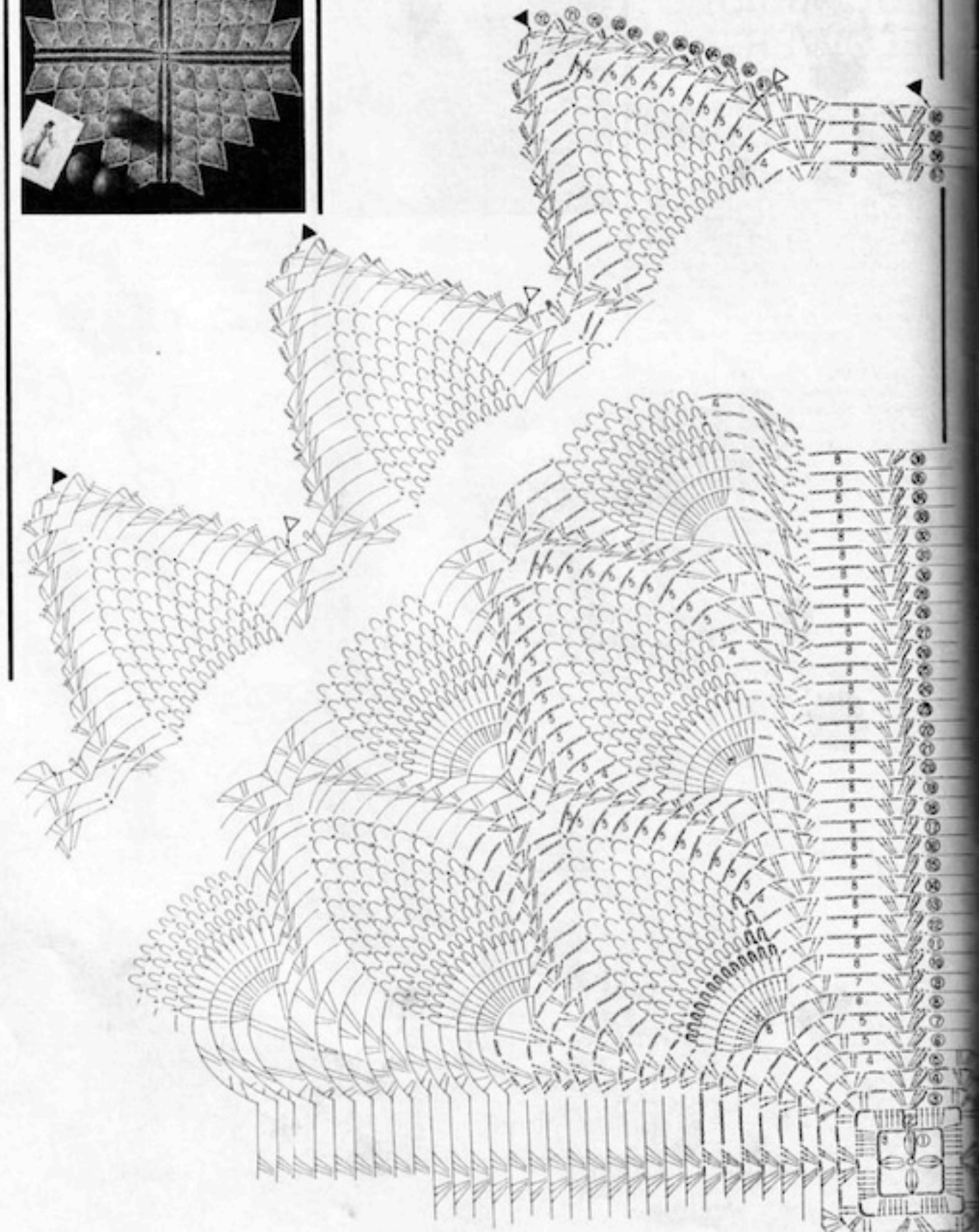
TABLE CENTER "HYDRANGEA"



MATERIALS : Six-cord-crochet cotton no. 40, cream-colored : 95 g – a crochet hook no. 0.75 (English no. 5.5) (American no. 13).

DIAMETER : 56 cm (22.4 in.).

EXPLANATIONS : Make a loop with end of yarn. *1st round :* Rep. 4 times * 3 dbl. tr (5 ch for 1st dbl. tr of round) joined tog., 9 ch *. Close round with 1 sl st. into 5th ch of beg. and make 2 sl st. more to get to next loop. *2nd round :* Groups of 6 dc (3 ch for 1st dc of round) separated by ch, as shown on drawing. At end of round, 1 hdc for 2 ch. *3rd-60th rounds :* Cont. working in a ring, right side up. The drawing shows one quarter of work and should be repeated 3 times more for each round. At beg. of each round, on with 3 sl st. to loop of 1st shell of round before. At 9th round, beg. each pineapple of 1st line (4 pineapples) with 15 dc. All pineapples of following lines are same as for 1st line. From 37th to 56th rounds, same work as from 19th to 36th rounds, making 1 pineapple between those of line before and 1 pineapple on both sides of triangles (= 5 pineapples in each triangle at 53rd round). *61st-72nd rounds :* Finish each pineapple separately, working back and forth, joining in yarn where indicated on drawing.



WORK WHEN FINISHED

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DOILY "CORN-FLOWER"

MATERIALS : Six-cord-crochet cotton no. 40, white : 30 g – a crochet hook no. 0.75 (English no. 5.5) (American no. 13).

DIAMETER : 40 cm (16 in.).

EXPLANATIONS : Make 14 ch and join into a ring. *1st round :* 1 ch, 28 sc into ring, 1 sl st. into sc of beg. *2nd round :* Rep. 14 times * 1 tr (4 ch for the tr), 3 ch, skip 1 sc of 1st round *.

Close each round with 1 sl st. into 4th ch of beg. *3rd round :* Make 1 sl st. into first 2 ch of 2nd round to beg. into 1st ch space. Beg. each petal with 2 tr into each ch space and make 4 ch between petals. *4th-18th rounds :* Tr and ch, as shown on drawing. *19th round :* 4 sc into each ch space, taking ch of round before. *20th round :* Tr and ch, skipping 1 sc of round before between tr. *21st round :* sc and ch as shown on drawing, making 7 loops between each petal of line before. At end of round, make 3 ch and 1 tr to end in the middle of last ch space. *22nd round :* Make alternately 1 shell and 5 loops, as shown on drawing. *23rd-32nd rounds :* 14 triangle petals, as shown on drawing. *33rd round :* Make top of petals with clusters of 6 tr joined tog. Between tr, make 3 ch, 1 tr, then rep. * a loop with picot (= 6 ch, 1 sc into 3rd ch from hook, 3 ch), 2 tr joined tog. *, as shown on drawing.

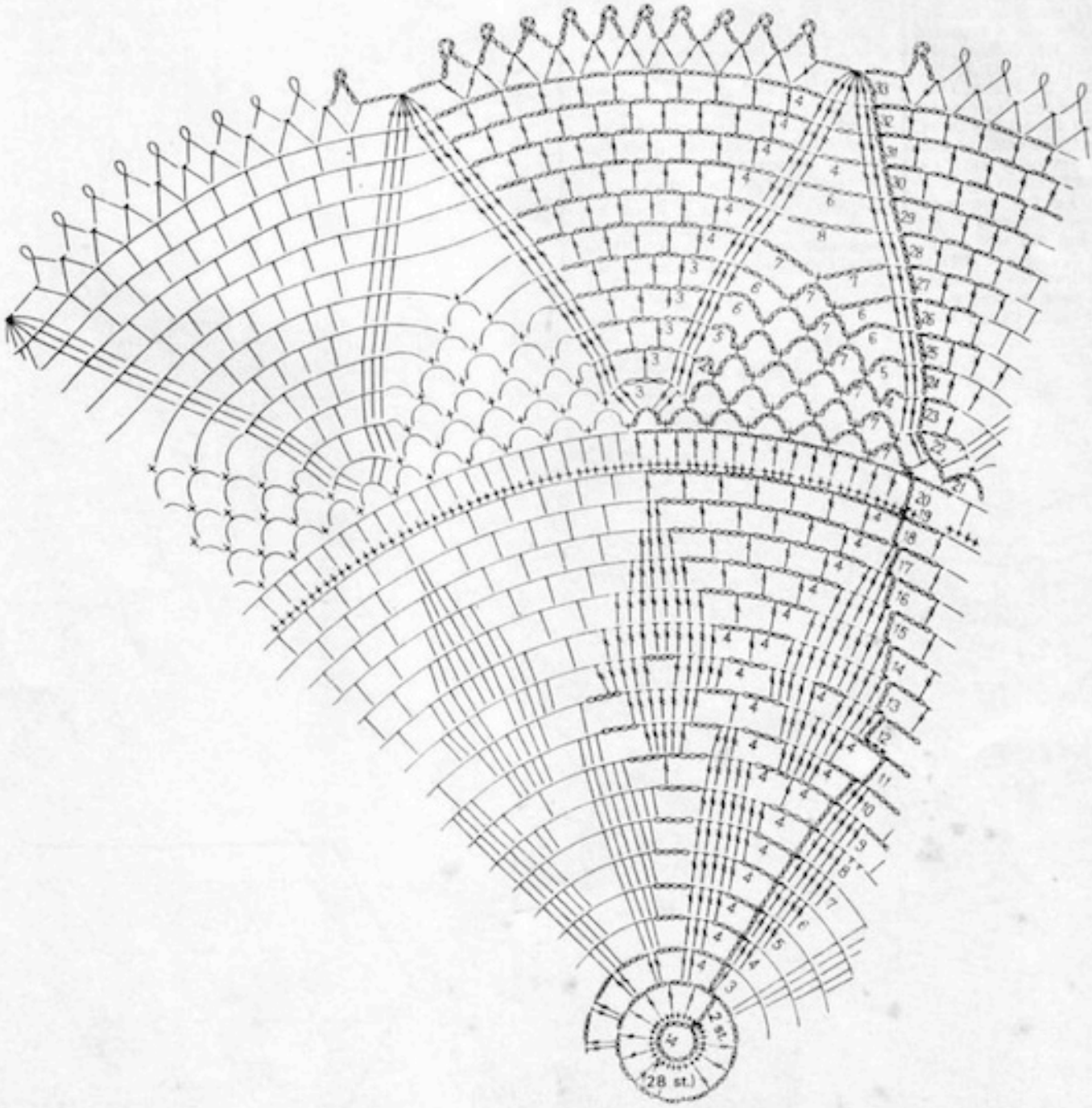

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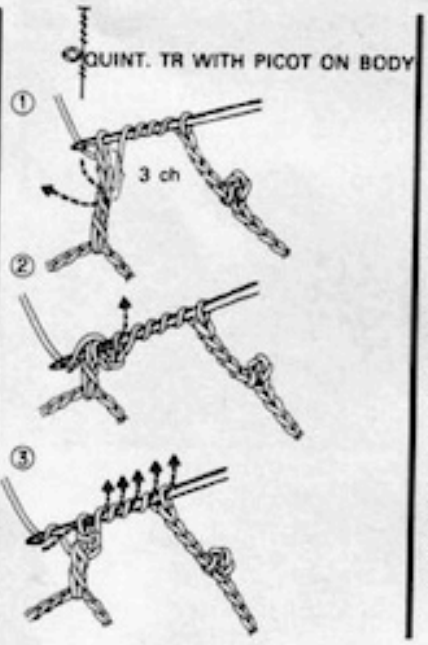
TABLE RUNNER "FLOWER CLOCK"

MATERIALS : Six-cord-crochet cotton no. 40, white : 70 g – a crochet hook no. 1.00 (English no. 4.5) (American no. 11).

MEASUREMENTS : Larger flowers are 15 cm in diameter (6 in.). The work as finished is 53×90 cm (21.2×36 in.).

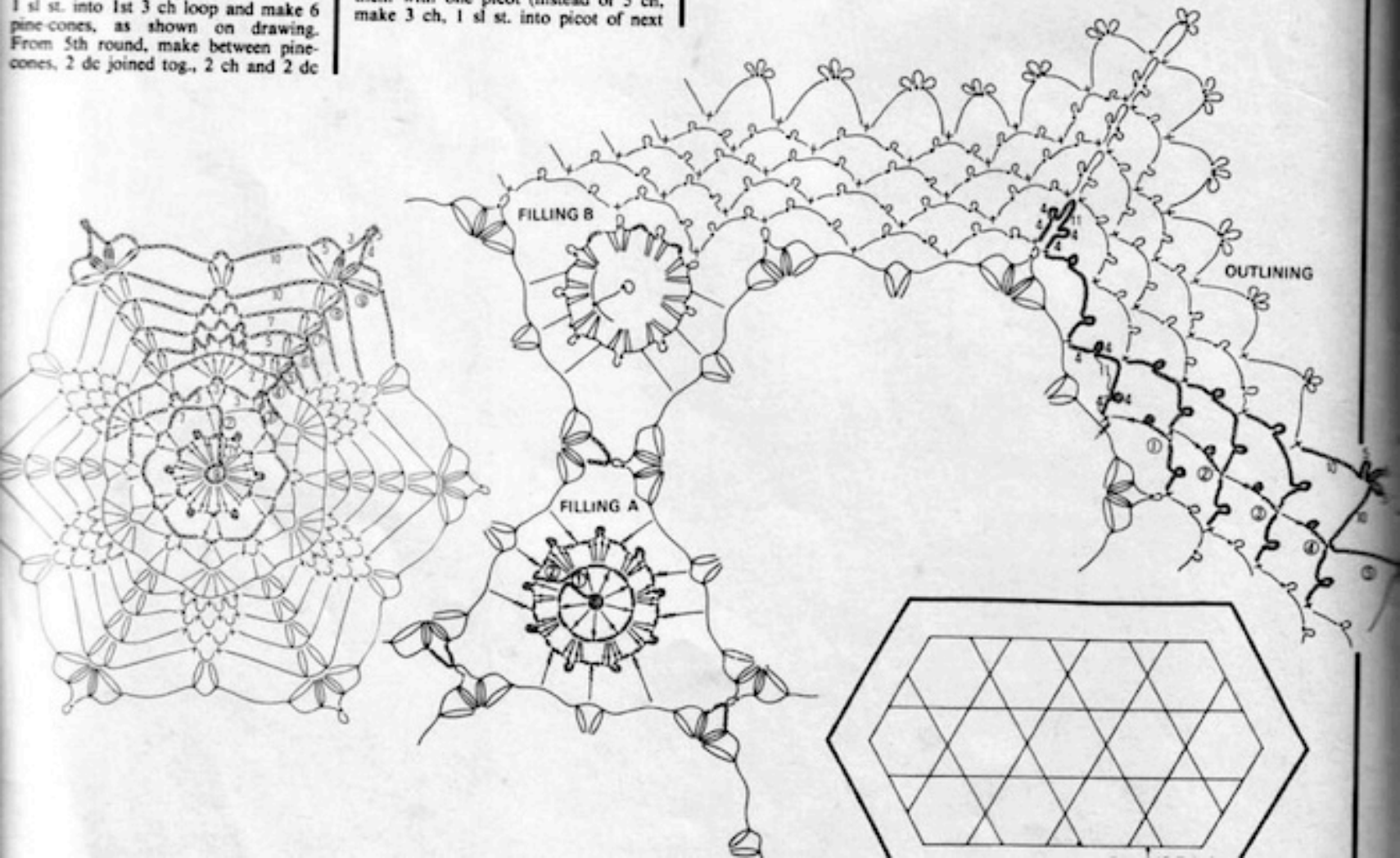
EXPLANATIONS : LARGER FLOWERS : Make 13 motifs as follows. Make 9 ch and join into a ring. *1st round :* 5 ch, then rep. 5 times into ring * 2 dc, 1 picot (3 ch, 1 sl st.), 2 dc, 2 ch *. Finish with 2 dc, 1 picot, 1 dc, 1 sl st. into 3rd ch of beg. *2nd round :* dc (always 3 ch for 1st dc) and ch, as shown on drawing. Finish with 2 ch and 1 tr. *3rd round :* Rep. twice into 7 ch loops * 1 sc, 3 ch *. Rep. twice into 2 ch loops * 1 dc, 3 ch *. Close round (and following rounds) with 1 sl st. *4th-8th rounds :* Beg. 4th round with 1 sl st. into 1st 3 ch loop and make 6 pine-cones, as shown on drawing. From 5th round, make between pine-cones, 2 dc joined tog., 2 ch and 2 dc joined tog. into 2 ch loops of round before. *9th round :* * Between the 2 groups of dc joined tog., make 2 dbl. tr joined tog. (at beg. of round, 6 ch for 1st dbl. tr), 5 ch, 3 dbl. tr joined tog., 4 ch, 1 picot (= 5 ch and 1 sl st. into 6th ch from hook), 3 ch, 3 dbl. tr joined tog., 5 ch, 2 dbl. tr joined tog., 10 ch ; into 3 ch loop (pine-cone top), make 2 groups of 2 tr joined tog. separated by 3 ch, then 10 ch *.

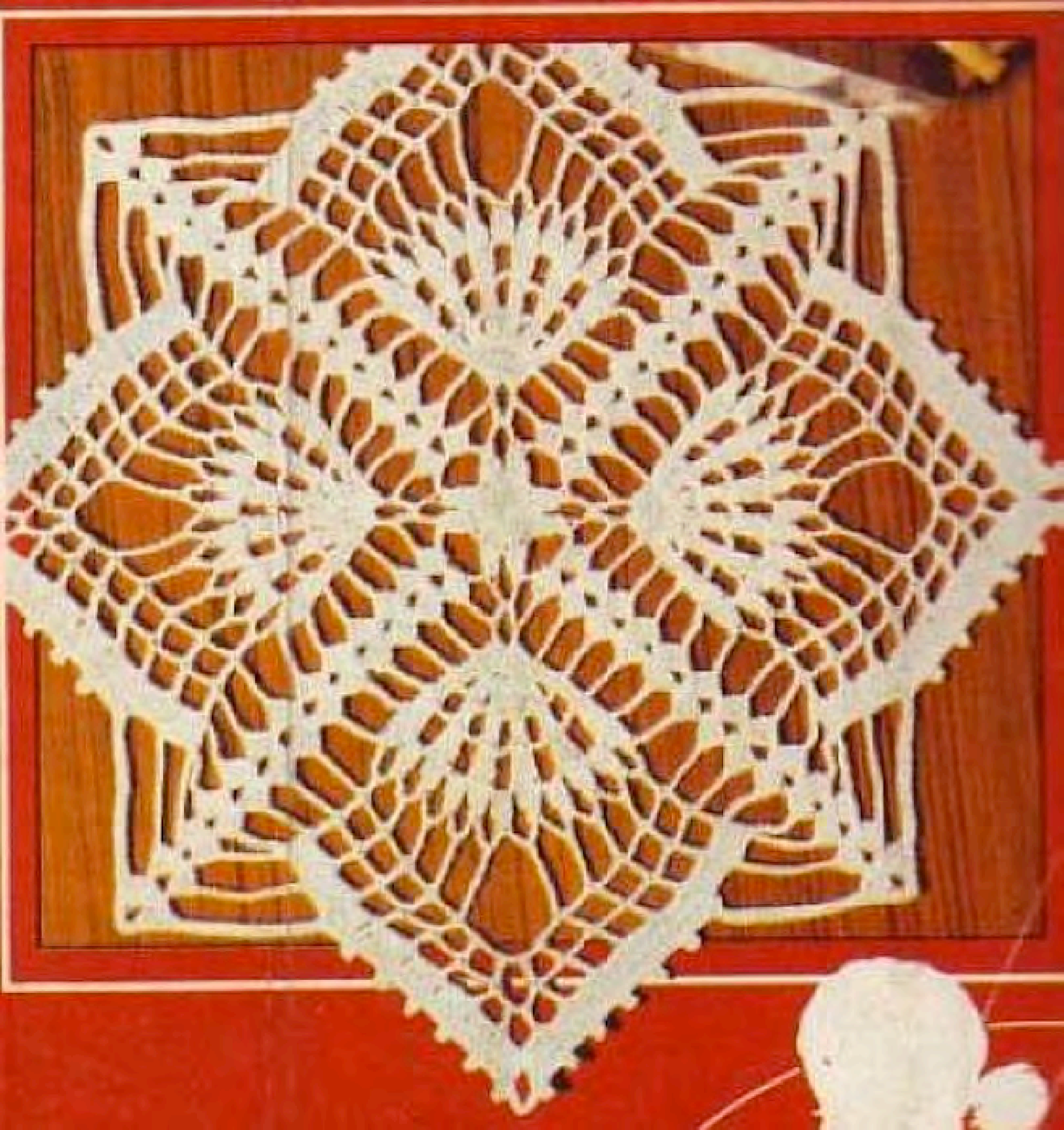
JOINING FLOWERS : From 2nd flower, while making last round, join them with one picot (instead of 5 ch, make 3 ch, 1 sl st. into picot of next motif, 3 ch) to get hexagon (see diagram).



FILLING MOTIFS : Make 6 ch and join into a ring. *1st round :* 7 ch, then rep. 8 times * 1 tr into ring, 3 ch *. Close with 1 sl st. *2nd round :* Rep. 9 times * 1 shell (= 2 dc, 1 picot of 3 ch, 1 sl st., 2 dc), 1 ch, join with a loop of a larger flower with 1 dbl. tr (see drawing), 1 ch *. Motifs A and B are the same, but the number of dbl. tr joining them to larger flowers is not the same. Join 14 motifs A (one between each group of 3 flowers) and 10 motifs B (one between each flower of outside).

OUTLINING : Join in yarn where indicated and make 5 rounds of loops with picots, inc. 1 loop at each corner of runner, as shown on drawing. At end of first 4 rounds, after 1st picot of last loop, make 5 ch and 1 quint. tr (into sc of beg.) with 1 picot on body, as shown on drawings.





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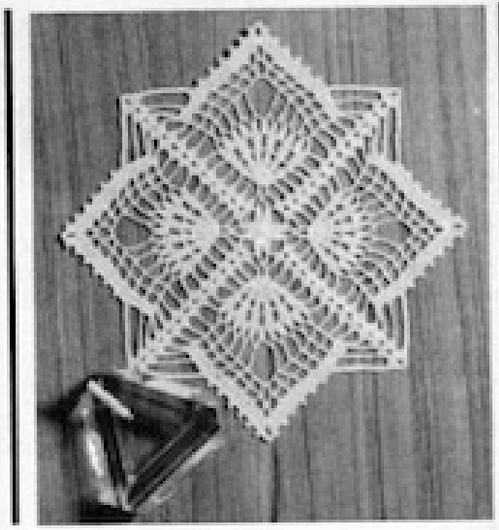

MATERIALS : Not-twisted crochet cotton, white : 30 g - a crochet hook no. 2

MEASUREMENTS : 39 cm between corners (15.6 in.).

EXPLANATIONS : Make a loop with end of yarn. *1st round* : 3 ch for 1st dc, 23 dc into loop, 1 sl st. into 3rd ch of beg. *2nd round* : Rep. * 3 dc joined tog., 5 ch, 3 dc joined tog., 8 ch *. At end of round, make 2 ch and 1 tr. tr instead of 8 ch. *3rd round* : Rep. * 1 shell (3 dc, 3 ch, 3 dc) into 1st loop, 3 ch, then 1 dc, 5 ch, and 1 dc into next loop (flower bottom), then 3 ch *. Close each round same as 1st and make 1 sl st. into next 3 st. to beg. rounds into loop of 1st shell. *4th-8th rounds* : Cont. working in a ring as shown on drawing. *9th round* : Cont. shells as before. Between them, shape a square with ch and dc into flowers loops as shown on drawing, making : 1 dc, 1 tr, 1 dbl. tr, 1 tr. tr, 1 quadr. tr, and 3 ch between each of them. *10th-12th rounds* : shells, ch and dc, as shown on drawing. *13th-15th rounds* : Shape a triangle in the middle of each side of the square. Join in yarn where indicated and work back and forth, as shown on drawing. *16th round* : sc (1 sc into each dc, 1 sc into each ch of row before), arranging picots (3 ch and 1 sl st. into sc before) as shown on drawing.

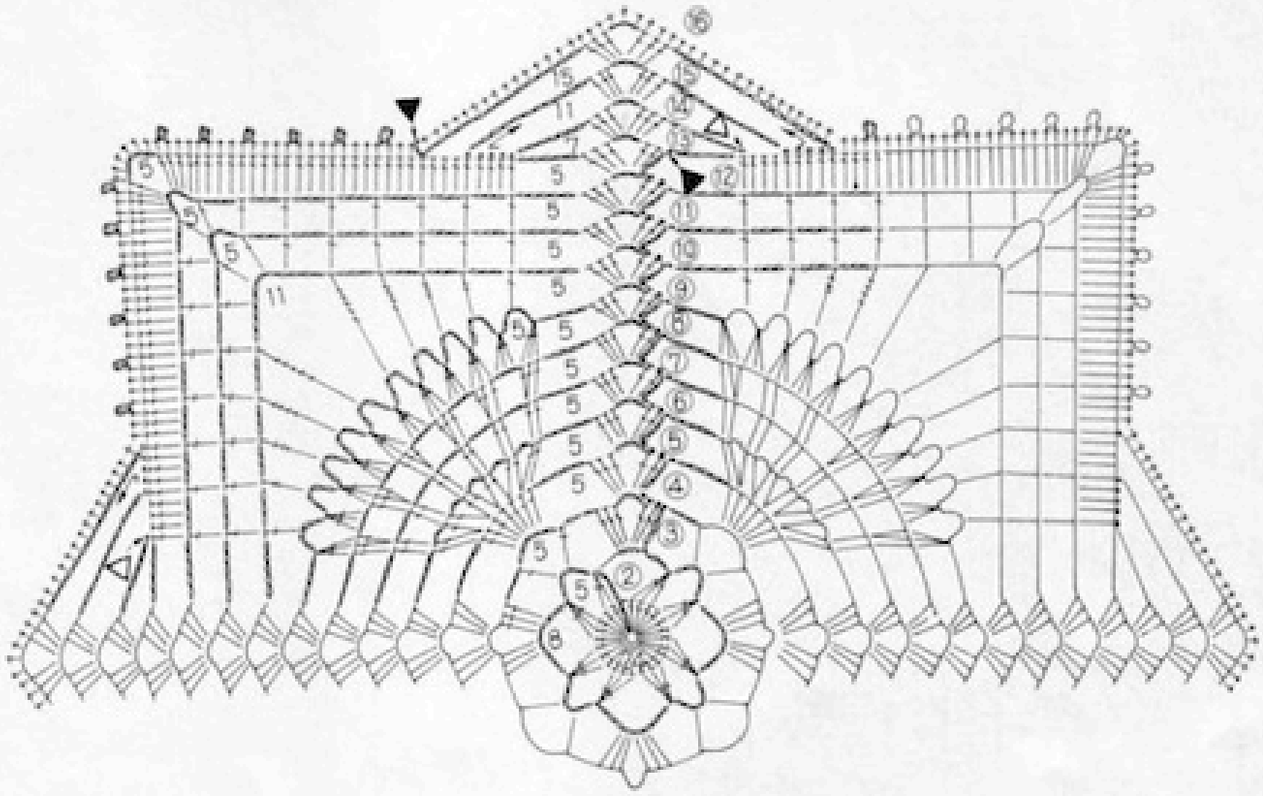

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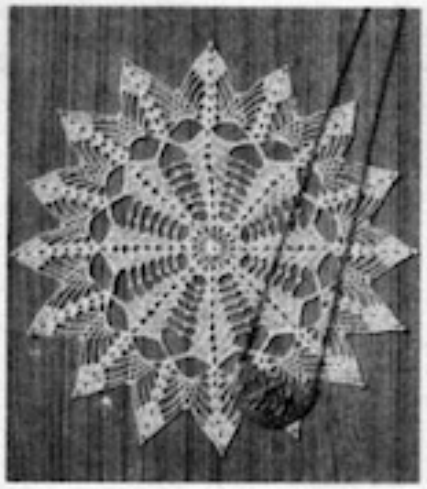
TABLE CENTER "SNOW FLOWER"

MATERIALS : Soft-knitting twist, white : 25 g – a crochet hook no. 1.50 (English no. 3) (American no. 8).

DIAMETER : 30 cm (12 in.).

EXPLANATIONS : 1st round : Make a loop with end of yarn. 1 ch, 16 sc, 1 sl st. into sc of beg. *2nd round :* Rep. 16 times * 1 dc (3 ch for 1st dc of round), 3 ch *. Close with 1 sl st. into 3rd ch of beg. and make 1 sl st. into



next 2 ch. *3rd round :* 1 ch, then make 16 loops rep. * 1 sc into 3 ch loop of 2nd round, 5 ch *. Close same as 1st round. *4th round :* 3 sl st. to get to middle of 1st loop. Make alternately 1 sc into a loop and 1 shell (3 dc, 3 ch, 3 dc) into next loop. *5th round :* 4 sl st. to get to loop of 1st. shell. Rep. * 1 shell (same as 4th round), 5 ch, 1 sl st. into 3rd ch from hook, 2 ch *. *6th-11th rounds :* 2 sl st. to beg. each round into 3rd dc of 1st shell. Inc. 2 dc at each shell (1 on each side) at each round. Between shells, make 1 ch more before and after picot at 9th and 10th rounds, and make 13 ch at 11th round. *12th round :* sc (1 into each dc, 1 into each ch). Close same as 1st round and make 1 sl st. into next 10 st. *13th round :* Rep. 16 times * 1 shell (3 dc, 3 ch, 3 dc into middle sc), 11 ch *. *14th round :* 3 sl st., then rep. * 1 shell into loop of shell of round before, 3 ch, 9 sc (beg. into 2nd ch of loop), 3 ch * (see drawing). *15th-19th rounds :* Shells and loops, as shown on drawing.

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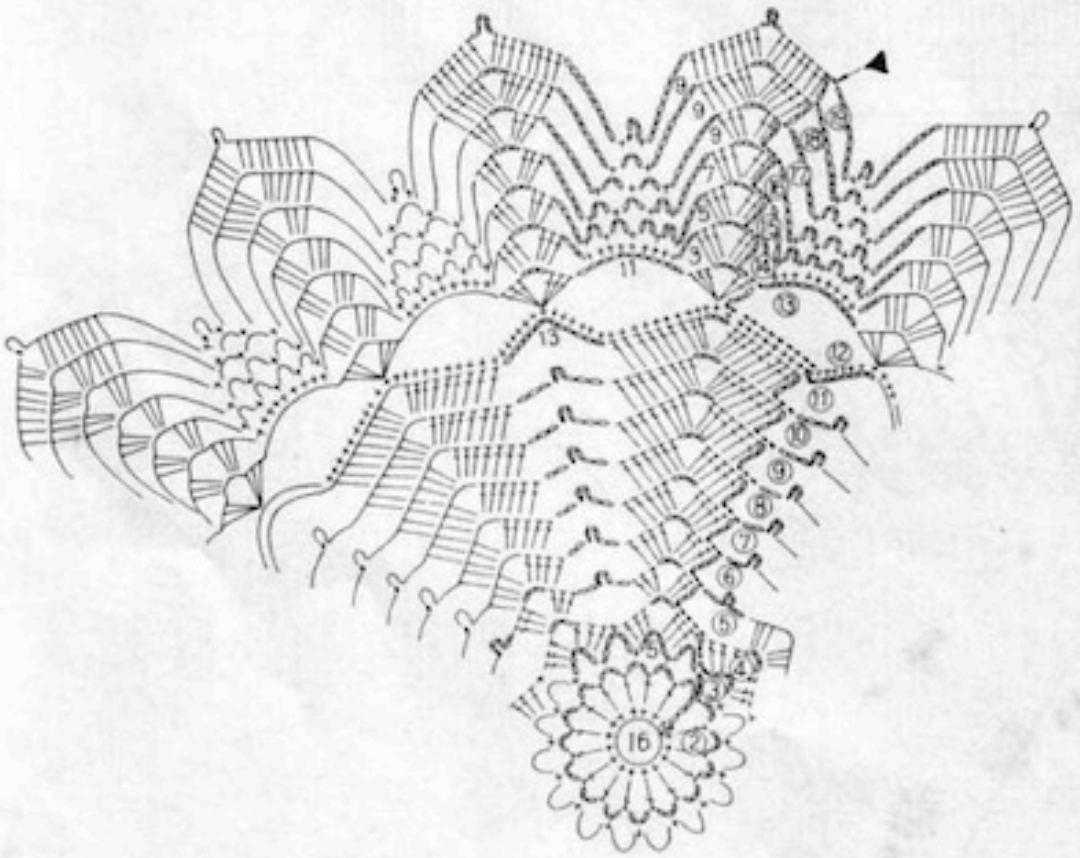
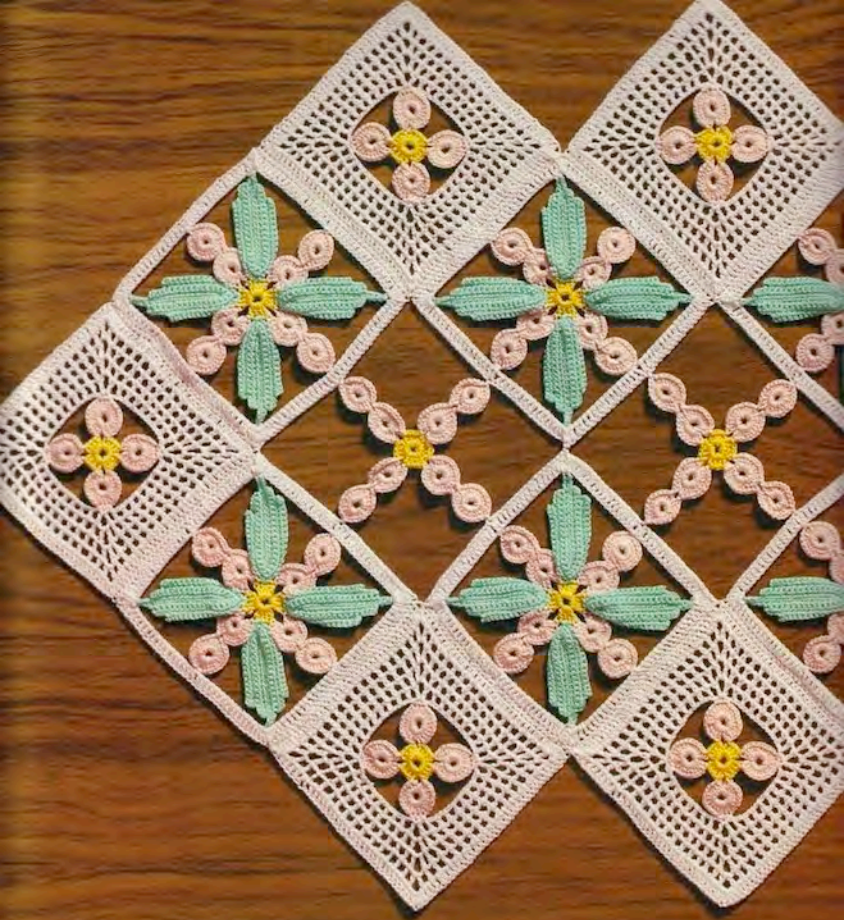
TABLE RUNNER

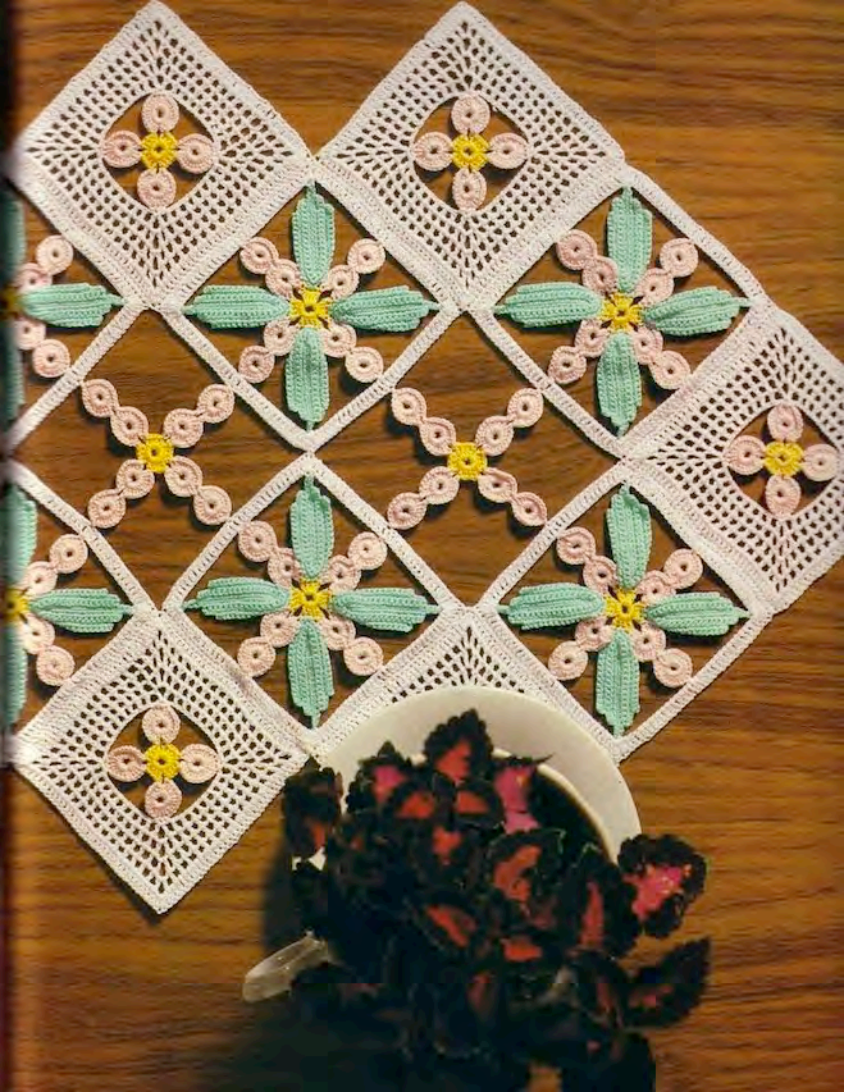
MATERIALS : Perlé crochet cotton, light green : 20 g, white : 25 g, pink : 20 g, yellow : 5 g – 176 rings, 0.5 cm in diameter (0.2 in.) – a crochet hook no. 0.75 (English no. 5.5) (American no. 13).

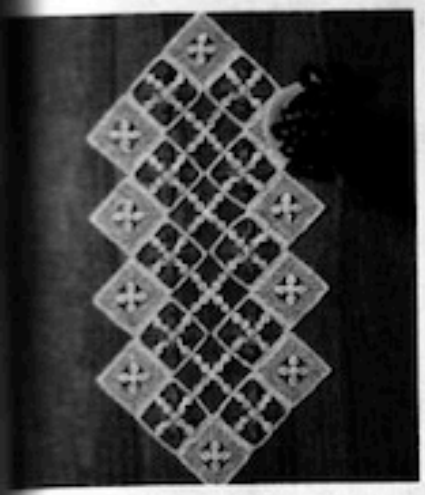
MEASUREMENTS : 30×60 cm (12×24 in.). Each motif is 7 cm square (2.8 in.).

EXPLANATIONS : MOTIF A : Make 10 motifs A as follows. *1st round :* Join in pink yarn to a ring, make 3 ch for 1st dc, then make dc into rings changing color, as shown on drawing.





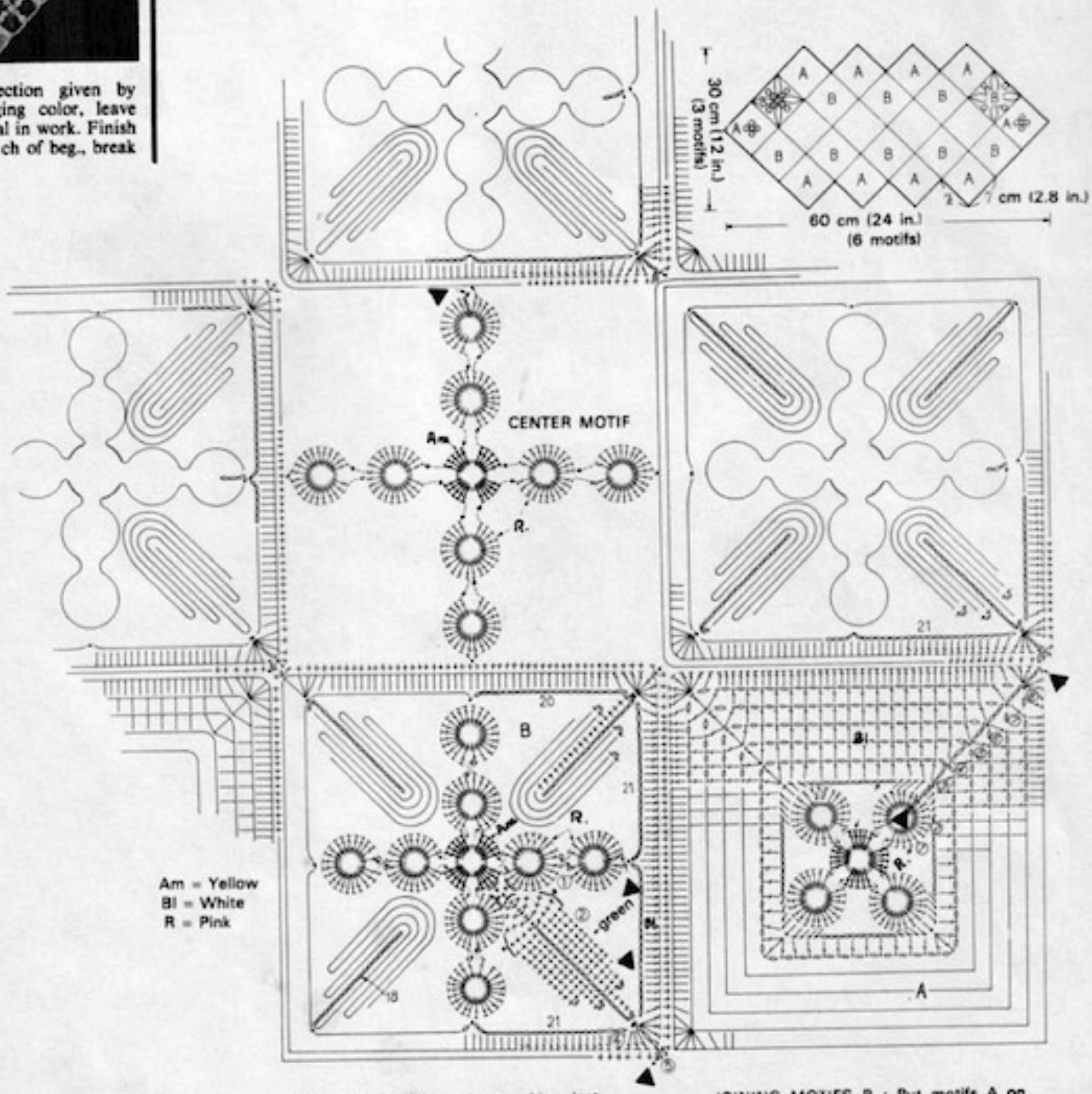


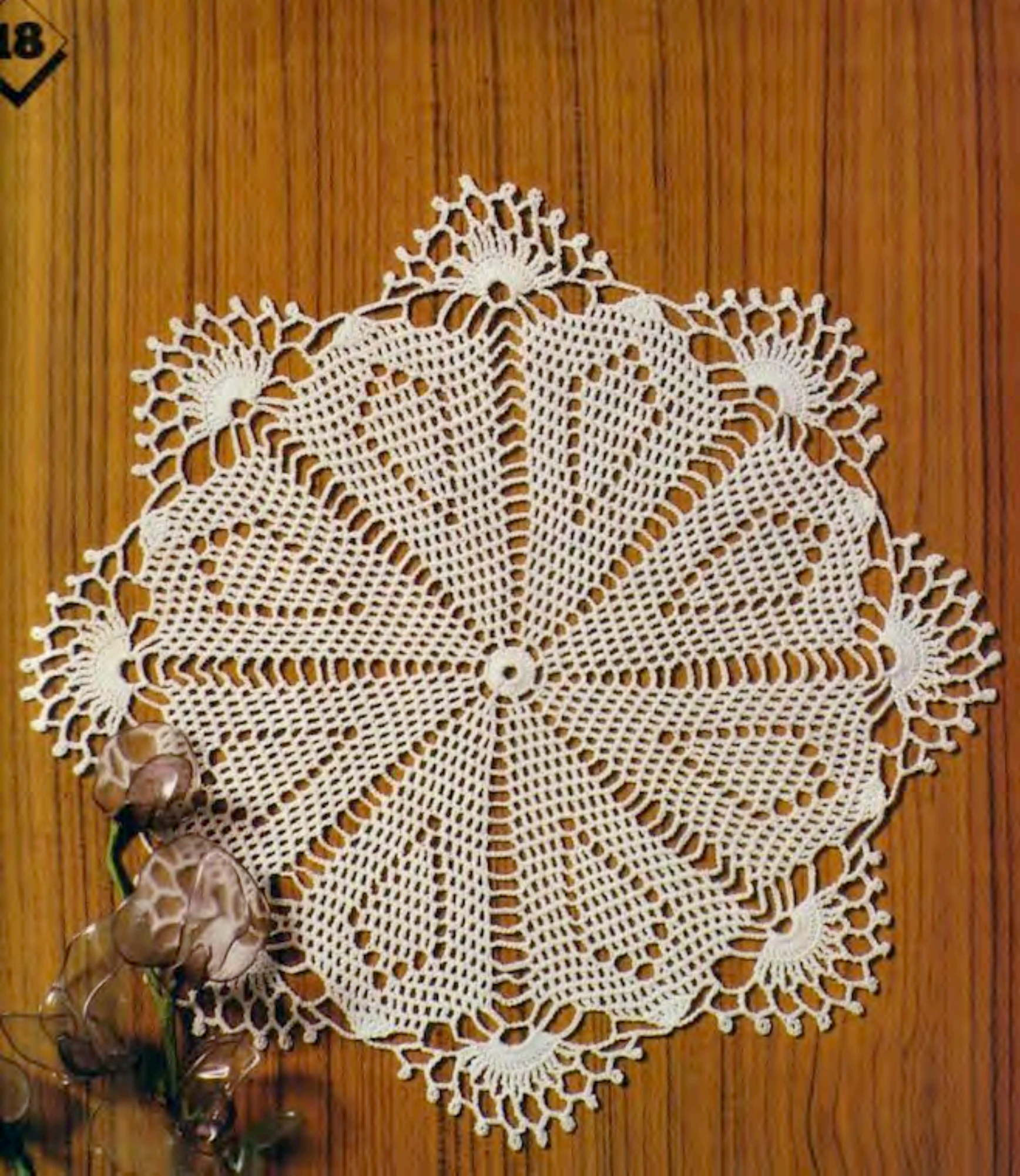


Work following direction given by arrows. When changing color, leave yarn enough to conceal in work. Finish with 1 sl st. into 3rd ch of beg., break off yarn and conceal yarns. *2nd round :* Join in white yarn into 12th st. of a pink ring, make 1 sc into same st. and 1 into each of next 4 st. and then rep. * 11 ch, 9 sc (making 1st sc into 8th st. of next ring) *, finish with 11 ch, 4 sc, 1 sl st. into sc of beg. of round. *3rd-7th rounds :* dc and ch, as shown on drawing. *8th round :* dc (7 into dc of each corner, 1 under each ch and into each dc of round before).

MOTIF B : When making last round of each motif B (total = 10 motifs B), join with motifs before. First work with 9 rings same as for motif A with pink and yellow yarns, shaping a cross, as shown on drawing. Then make green leaves (4 leaves) with sc and join them to rings as shown on drawing. *3rd-5th rounds :* Join in white yarn to top of a leaf and shape around flowers with ch and sl st., as shown on drawing. then make a round of dc (1 into each st. of round before, 7 into corner st.) and 1 round of sc. While making the round of sc, join to motifs A as shown on drawing.

CENTER MOTIFS : Work with 9 rings, same as for motifs B, joining the ring of each end to center sc of motifs B with 1 sl st. (see drawing).





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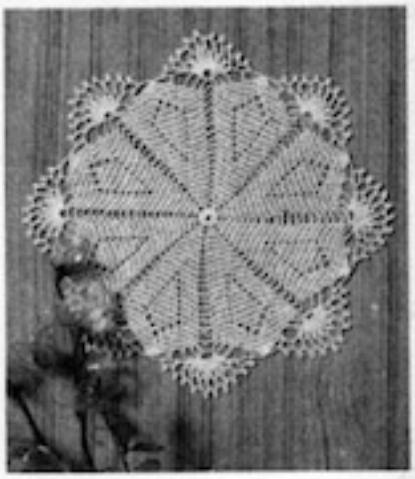
DOILY "FANS"

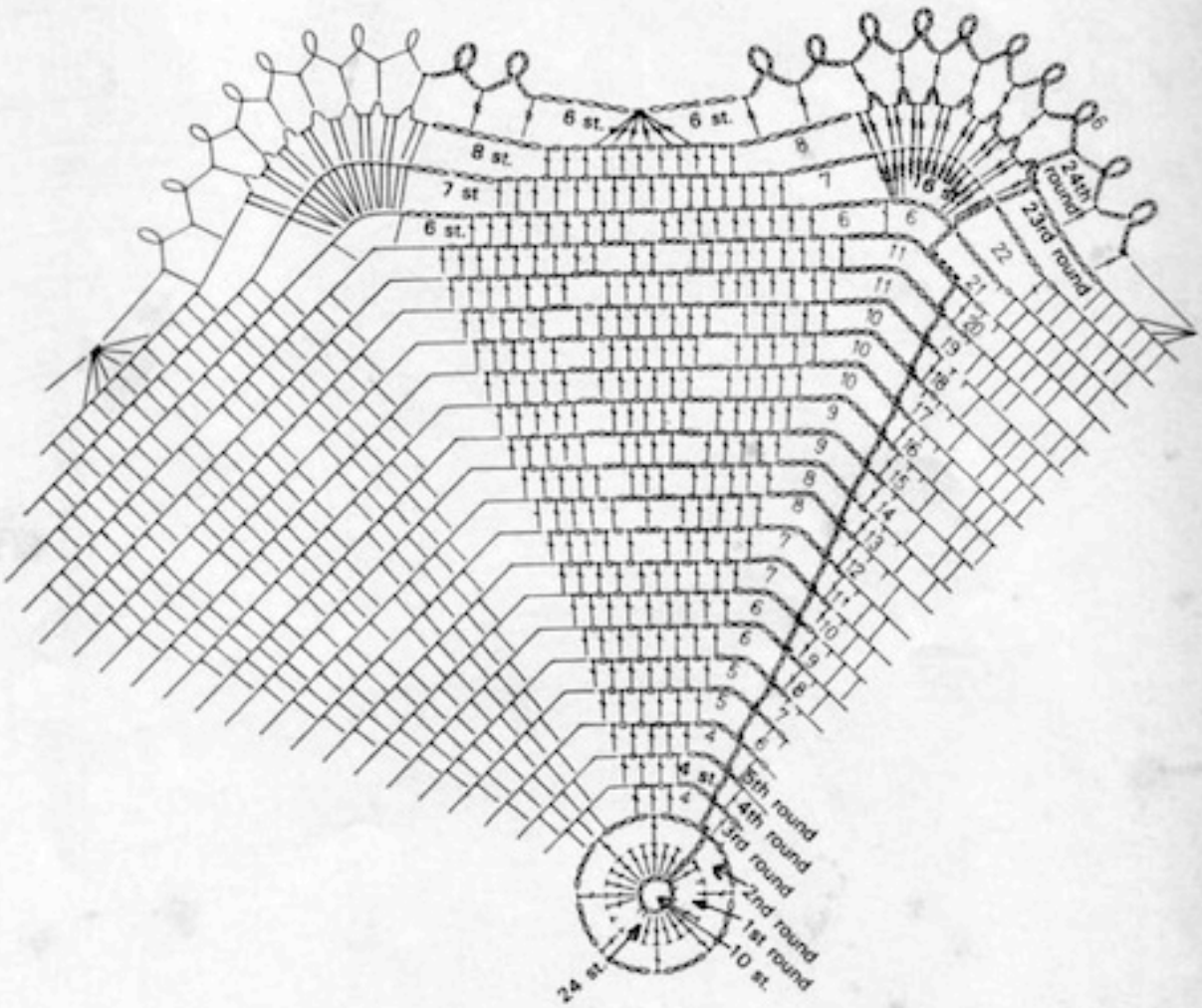
MATERIALS : Six-cord-crochet cotton no. 40, white : 20 g – a crochet hook no. 0.75 (English no. 5.5) (American no. 13).

DIAMETER : 30 cm (12 in.).

EXPLANATIONS : Make 10 ch and join into a ring. *1st round :* 3 ch for 1st dc, 23 dc into ring, 1 sl st. into 3rd ch



of beg. *2nd round :* Always 3 ch for 1st dc. Rep. 8 times * 1 dc, 4 ch, skip 2 dc of 1st round *. Close same as 1st round. *3rd-21st rounds :* Up to 20th round, beg. each round with 1 sl st. into 1st ch of 1st loop and make 8 triangle motifs with dc, made inserting hook under ch of round before, and ch ; between triangle motifs, make ch as shown on drawing. Before beg. 21st round, make 1 sl st. into first 4 ch of 1st loop of round before and work as shown on drawing. *22nd round :* Beg. fans with 16 dbl. tr (5 ch for 1st dbl. tr) and cont. triangles with ch and dc. *23rd-24th rounds :* 4 ch for 1st tr. At 24th round, tr are made into loops. Loops with picots are made with 9 ch, 1 sl st. into 6th ch from hook, 3 ch. Make top of triangles with 6 tr joined tog.

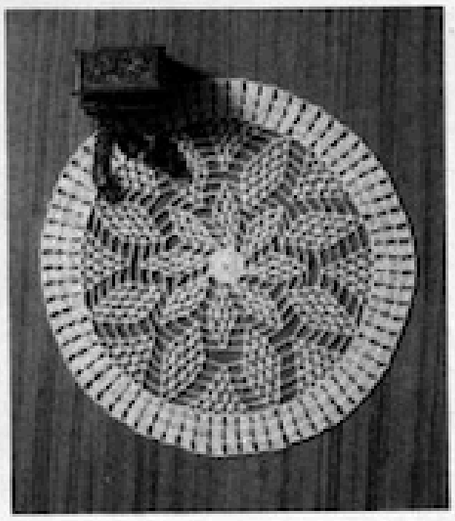


DOILY "ADONIS"

ATERIALS : Soft knitting twist, 50 g a crochet book no. 2.

IAMETER : 44 cm (17.6 in.).

XPLANATIONS : Make a loop with d of yarn. *1st round :* 16 sc. Close ith 1 sl st. into sc of beg. *2nd round :* tr into each sc of 1st round (4 ch for st tr). Close each round with 1 sl st.



into 4th ch of beg. *3rd round :* Beg. the 8 petals of 1st line rep. * 1 tr, 2 ch and 1 tr into same st., 5 ch., skip 3 st. *. *4th-14th rounds :* tr, ch and tr joined tog. (center of petals), as shown on drawing. At 7th round, beg. the 8 petals of 2nd line with 2 tr separated by 3 ch into 5th ch of each 9 ch loop of round before. After finishing 8th round, break off yarn and join in it again where indicated. At 10th round, beg. 8 petals same as petals of 2nd line, making 2 tr into 7th ch of each 13 ch loop. *15th round :* Beg. with 2 sl st. Rep. 72 times, taking chains of round before * 4 tr, 1 ch *. *16th-17th rounds :* * 4 tr (1 tr into each tr of round before), 2 ch *.

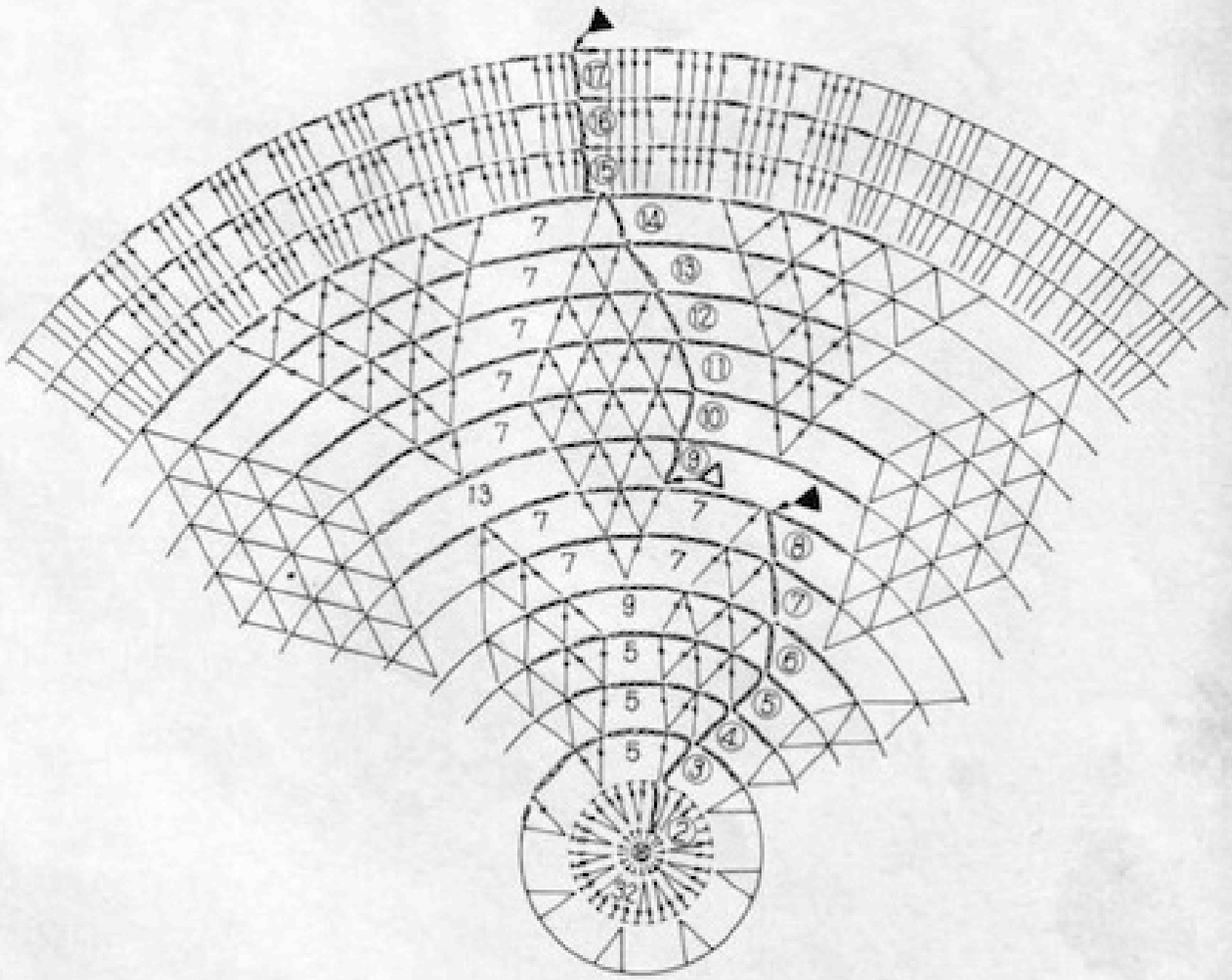


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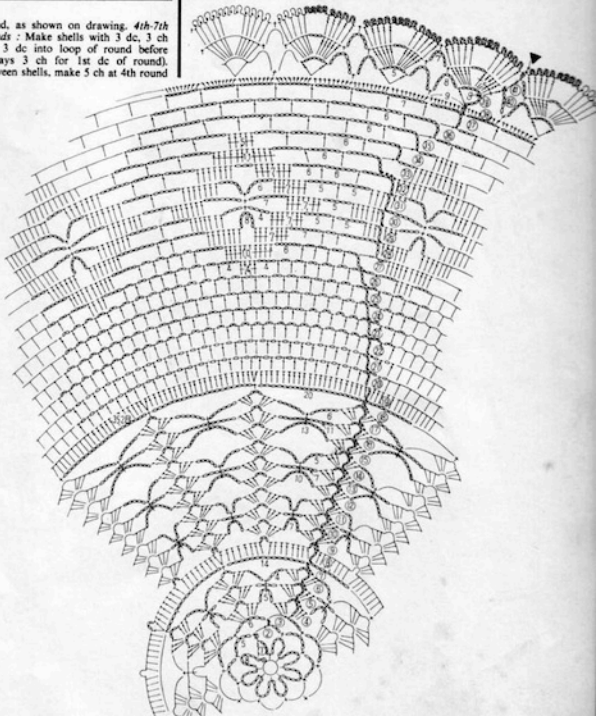
TABLE CENTER "ROSE"

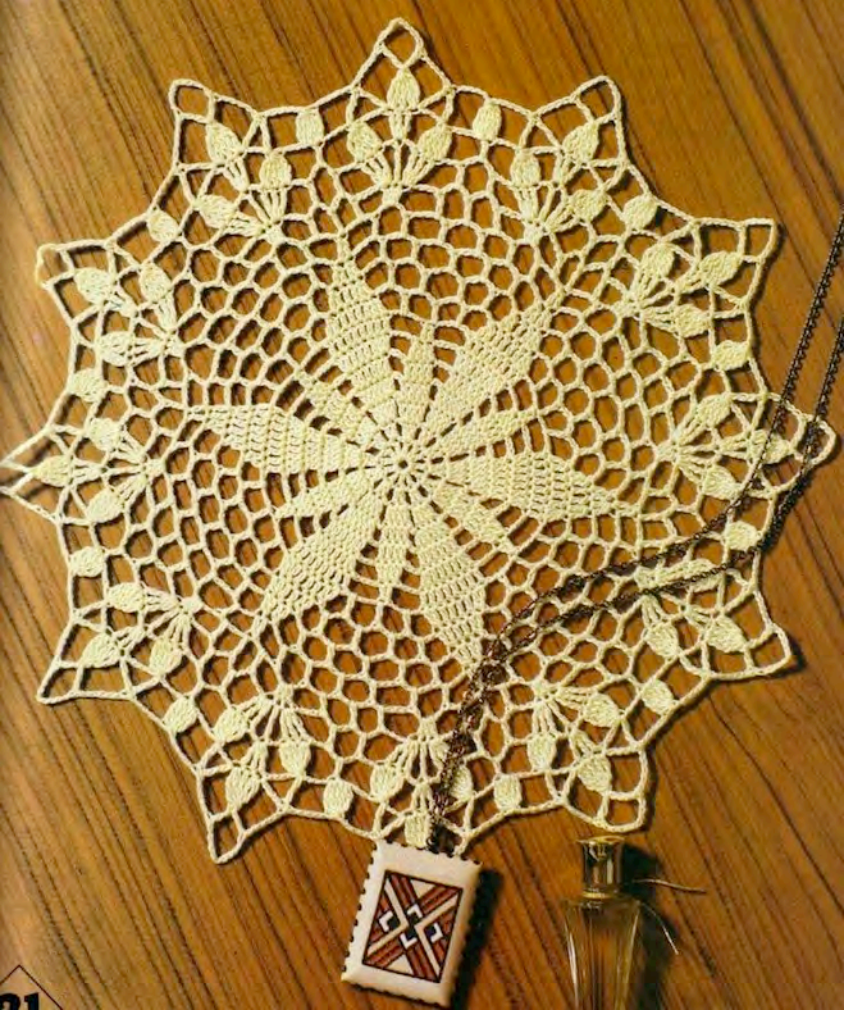
MATERIALS : Six-cord-crochet cotton no. 40, white : 40 g – a crochet hook no. 0.75 (English no. 5.5) (American no. 13).

DIAMETER : 44 cm (17.6 in.).

EXPLANATIONS : Make a loop with end of yarn. *1st round :* 8 loops rep. 7 times * 1 sc into loop, 8 ch *. Finish with 1 sc, 4 ch and 1 tr into sc of beg. *2nd-3rd rounds :* 8 loops for each

round, as shown on drawing. *4th-7th rounds :* Make shells with 3 dc, 3 ch and 3 dc into loop of round before (always 3 ch for 1st dc of round). Between shells, make 5 ch at 4th round 3 ch at 5th round, 4 ch, 1 sc taking both chains of 2 rounds before, 4 ch at 6th round. Close each round with 1 sl st. into 3rd ch of beg. and make 1 sl st. into next 2 st. to beg. round into loop of 1st shell. *8th round :* 1 dc into each ch of loops. *9th-25th rounds :* Work as shown on drawing. From 9th to 17th rounds, make 16 shells at each round. At 19th round, 352 dc (1 dc into each ch and 2 dc into each sc). At 20th round, rep. * 1 dc, 1 ch, skip 1 dc of round before *, to get 176 nets. Make 21st round same as 20th, making 1 dc into each ch space of 20th round. From 22nd to 25th rounds, make nets rep. * 1 dc into ch space of round before, 2 ch *. *26th-34th rounds :* Make 16 lozenges with dc (made into st. of round before as shown on drawing) and ch loops. From 31st round, make dc of nets (between lozenges) into 3rd ch of ch spaces of round before. *35th-37th rounds :* nets, as shown on drawing, making all dc into 3rd ch of ch spaces. You get 96 nets at 37th round. *38th round :* 9 sc into each ch space. *39th-41st rounds :* 48 fans (3 above each lozenge) with tr, ch and sc, as shown on drawing.





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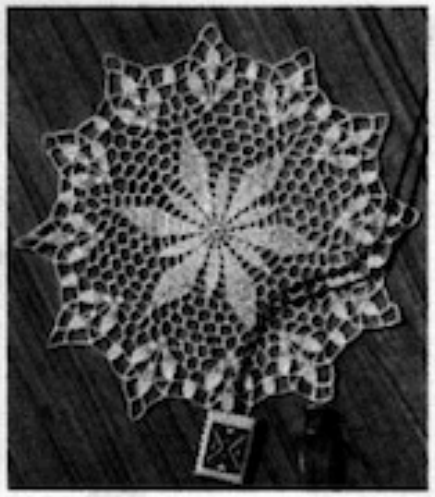
DOILY "PRIM-ROSES"

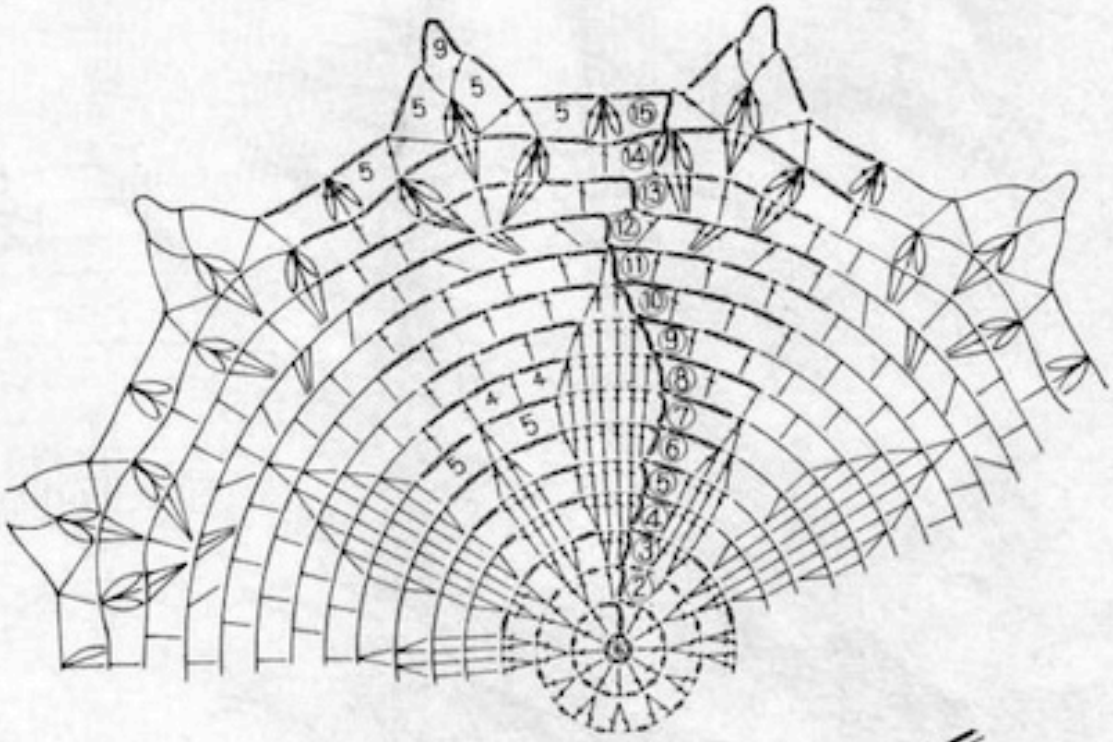
ATERIALS : Perlé crochet cotton, g – a crochet hook no. 1.50 (English . 2.5) (American no. 7).

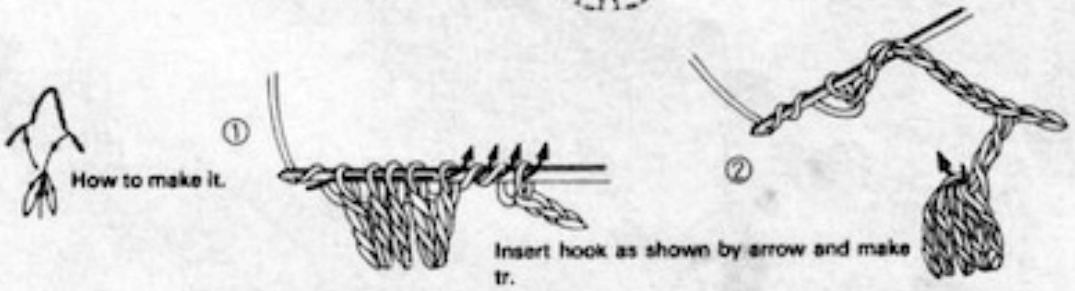
IAMETER : 32 cm (12.8 in.).

XPLANATIONS : Make 6 ch and in into a ring. *1st round :* Rep. 12 mes * 1 dc into ring (3 ch for 1st dc), ch *. Close each of first 11 rounds



with 1 sl st. into 3rd ch of beg. *2nd round :* Rep. * 2 dc into each dc of 1st round, 1 ch *. *3rd-11th rounds :* dc and ch, to shape leaves as shown on drawing. Inc. number of dc making 2 dc into 1st and last dc of each leaf. Then dec. (as per drawing) on both sides of leaves, joining tog. 2 dc. Bet. leaves, make ch as shown on drawing. After finishing smaller leaves, rep. * 4 ch, 1 dc * bet. larger leaves. *12th-15th rounds :* Make 12 motifs of flowers (2 bet. each larger leaf) as shown on drawing. Close 12th round with 1 ch and 1 dc into 3rd ch of beg. At 13th round, make flowers with tr. At end of same round, make 1 hdc into 3rd ch of beg. instead of 2 ch loop. Beg. 14th round with 4 ch (for 1st tr.) and make top of flowers with 5 tr joined tog. (see drawing). At 15th round, finish flowers as shown on diagrams.





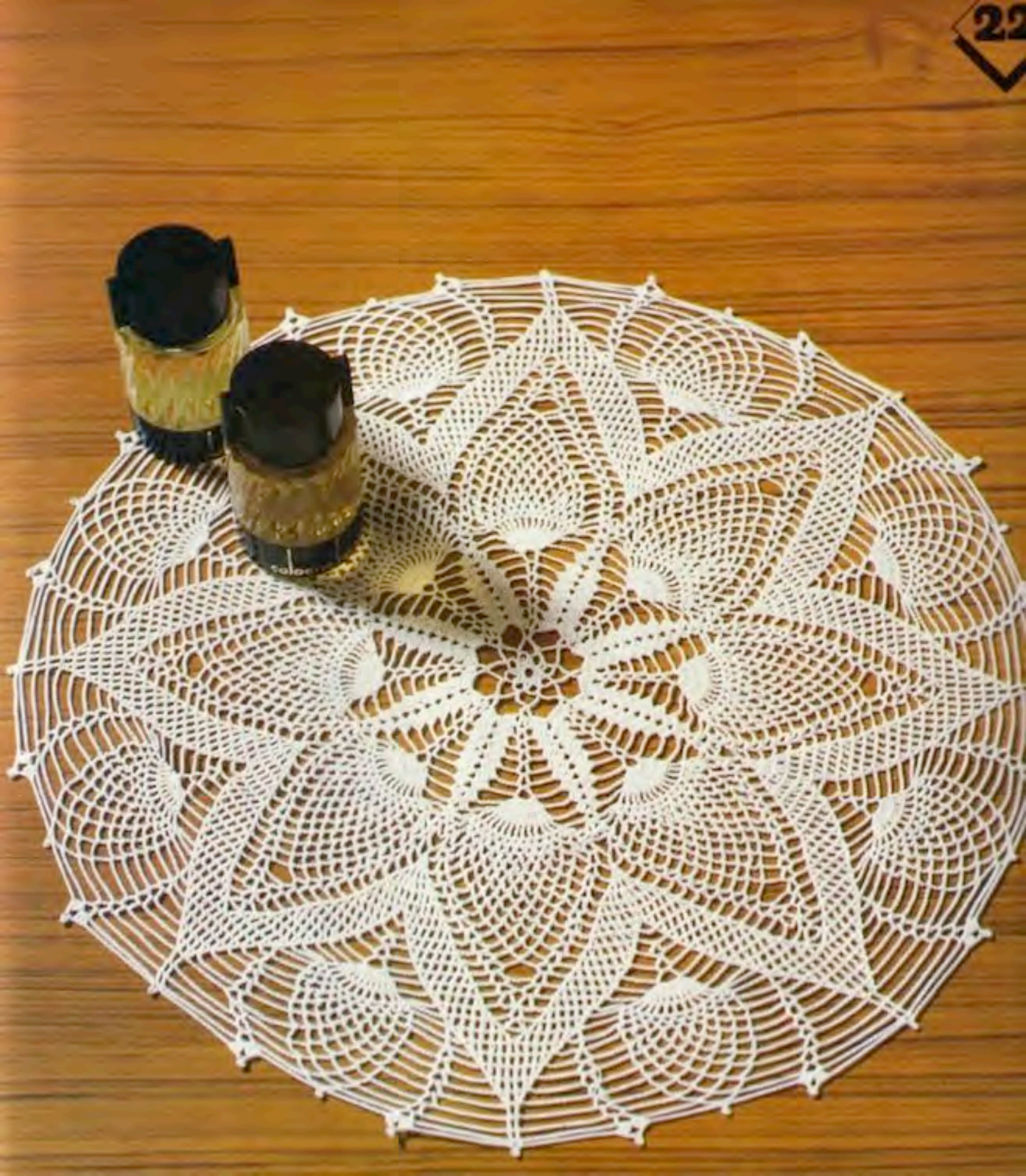


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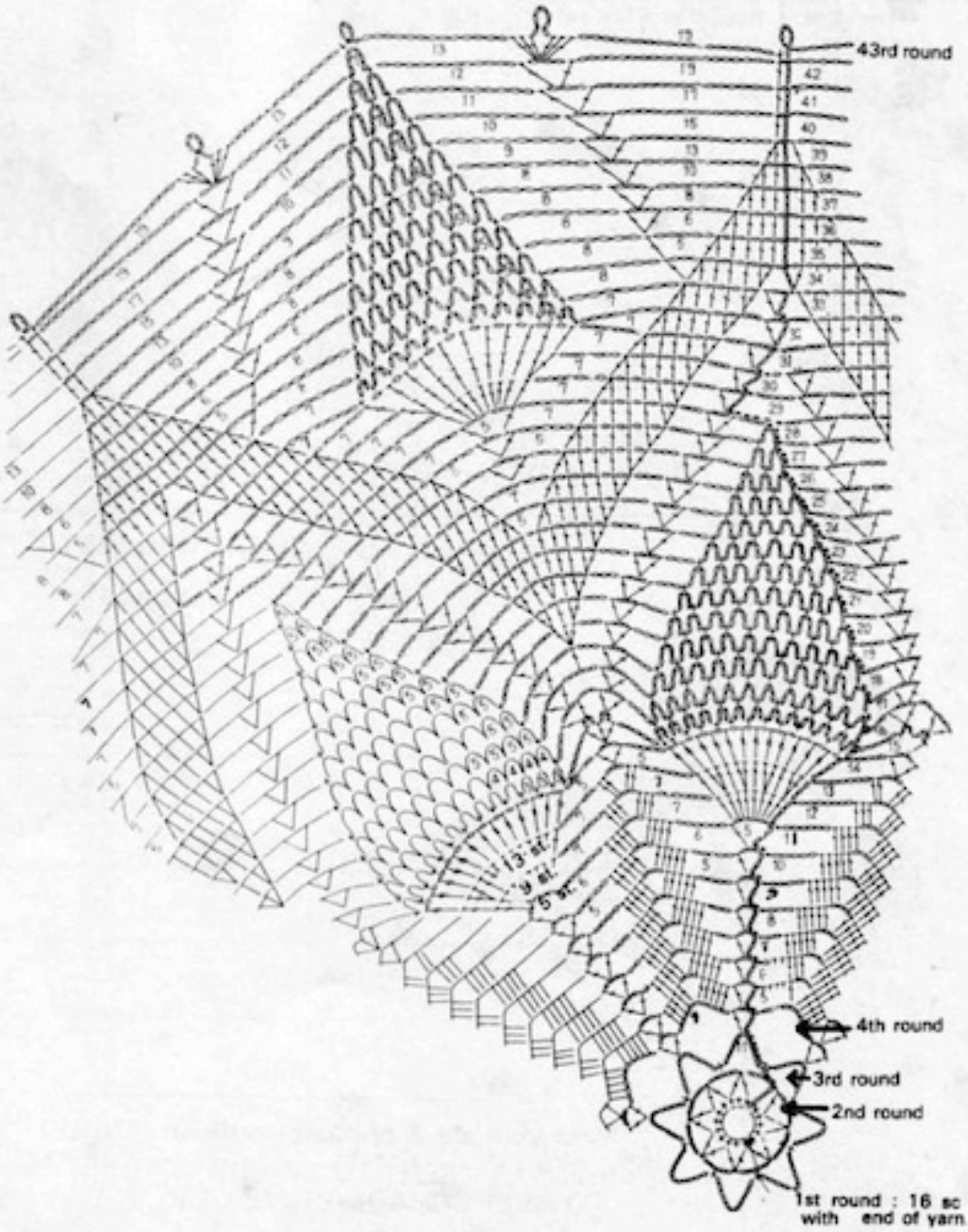
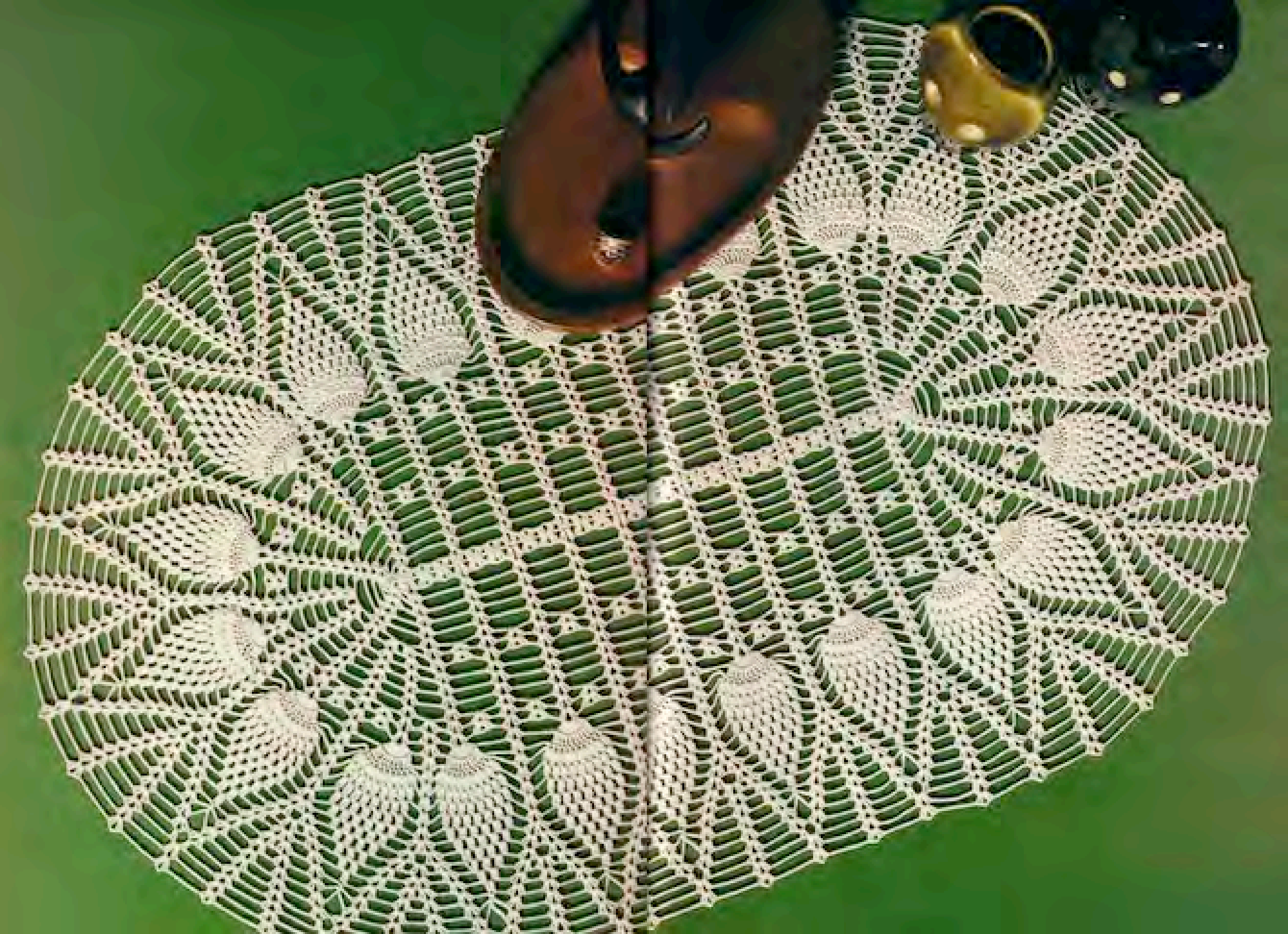
TABLE CENTER

MATERIALS : Six-cord-crochet cotton no. 40, white : 35 g – a crochet hook no. 0.75 (English no. 5.5) (American no. 13).

DIAMETER : 33 cm (13.2 in.).

EXPLANATIONS : Make a loop with end of yarn. *1st round :* 1 ch, 16 sc into loop, 1 sl st. into ch of beg. *2nd round :* Beg. with 8 ch, then rep. 7 times * 2 dc joined together (skip 1 sc between the 2 dc, as shown on drawing), 5 ch *. Finish with 1 dc into same st. as before, 1 sl st. into 3rd ch of beg. *3rd round :* 1 sl st. into next 2 ch, 1 ch, then rep. * 1 sc into loop, 11 ch *. Finish same as 1st round. *4th round :* 7 sl st. to get to center of 1st loop of 11 ch. 3 ch for 1st dc. Then rep. 8 times * 1 dc into loop of 11 ch, 3 ch, 1 dc into same loop, 9 ch *. Close same as 2nd round. *5th-11th rounds :* 2 sl st. at beg. of each round to beg. at center of 1st shell of round before, then make 1 shell (1 dc, 3 ch, 1 dc) above each shell. Bet. shells, make ch and groups of dc as shown on drawing. At 11th round, make 5 ch (instead of 3) in center of each shell (pineapples bottom). *12th-14th rounds :* Cont. working as shown on drawing. At 14th round, make pineapples bottoms with 13 tr (4 ch for 1st tr of round) separated by 1 ch. Finish round with 5 ch, 1 sl st. into 4th ch of beg. *15th round :* (1 sc into 1st and last tr of bottom of each pineapple and 1 sc under each ch between tr). Rep. * 1 sc (1 ch for 1 sc at beg. of round), 3 ch (to get 13 loops), 5 ch, then into 3 ch loop 3 dc separated by 3 ch, then 5 ch *. Close round with 1 sl st. into 1st ch of beg. *16th-28th rounds :* 2 sl st. at beg. of 16th and 17th rounds, 3 sl st. at beg. of following rounds, and make pineapples (with loops of 4 ch at 16th round, 5 ch at following rounds) and dc shaping them, as shown on drawing. *29th round :* 5 sl st. to get to 3 ch loop between 2 dc, then work as shown on drawing. Beg. pineapples of 2nd line with 9 dc into 5 ch loops of 28th round. *30th-43rd rounds :* Cont. working in a ring. From 32nd round, make pineapples with loops of 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 ch (according to rounds) as shown on drawing. At last round, make picots with 5 ch and 1 sl st. into 1st of 5 ch.



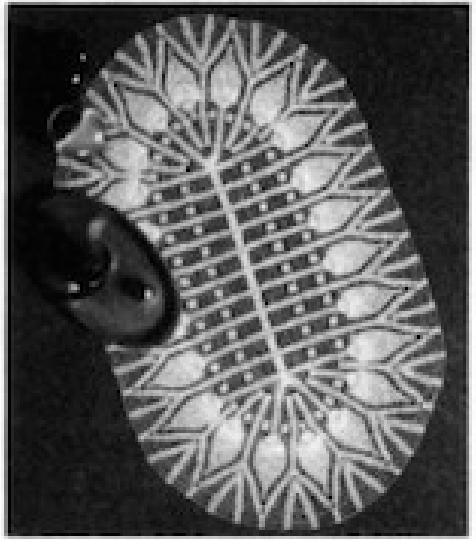


OVAL DOILY "FLAMES"

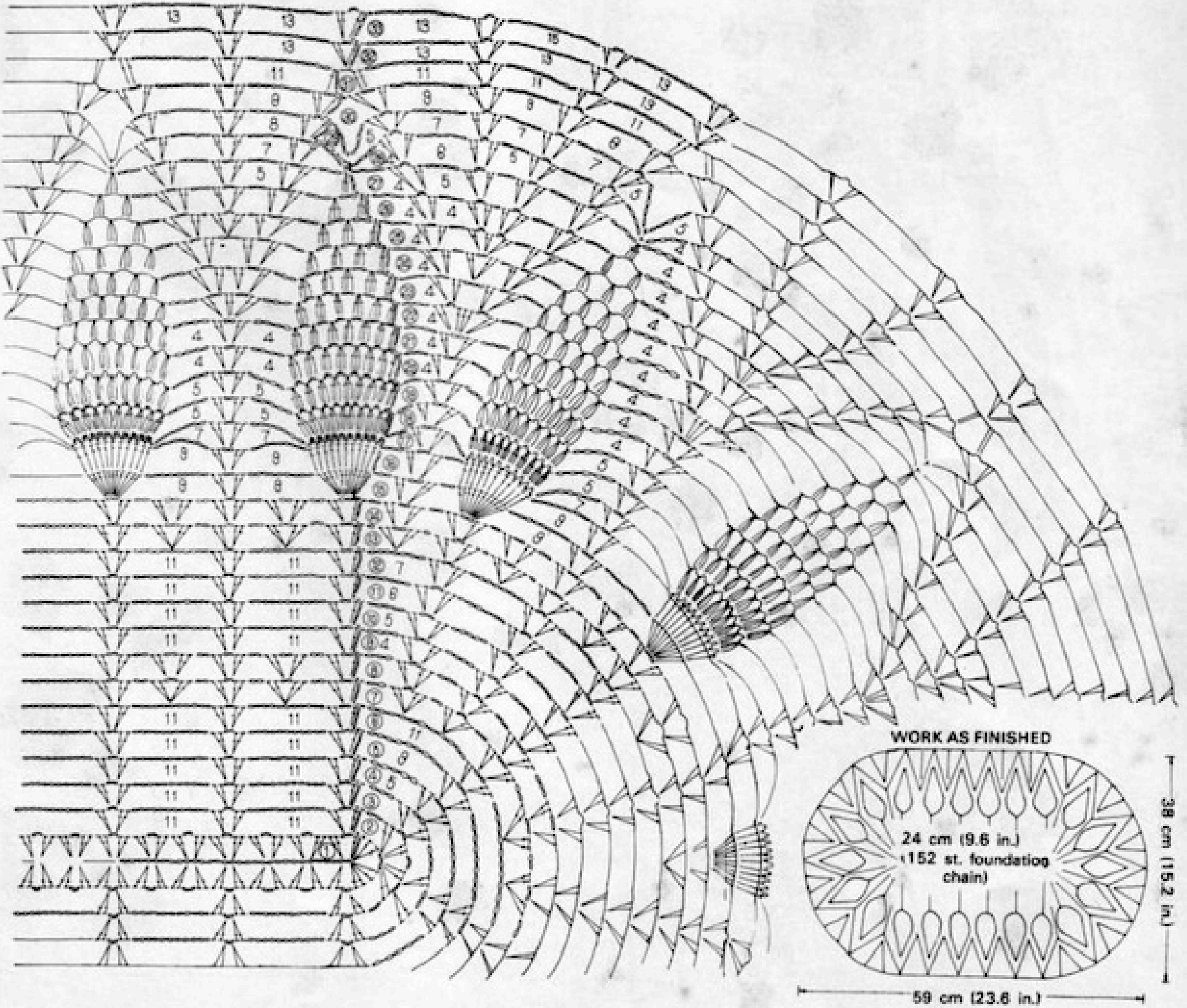
MATERIALS : Six-cord-crochet cotton no. 40, white : 70 g – a crochet hook no. 1 (English no. 4.5) (American no. 11).

MEASUREMENTS : 38×59 cm (15.2 × 23.6 in.).

EXPLANATIONS : Make a chain of 152 st. *1st round :* 3 ch for 1st dc, 1 dc into 4th ch from hook. Rep. * 2 ch, 1 dc into next ch of chain, skip 3 ch, 1 dc into next ch *. Finish with 2 dc into last but one st. of chain, 2 ch, 4 dc into last ch, 2 ch, 4 dc into same ch as



first 4 dc ; then rep. from * to * along other side of chain. Finish round as shown on drawing, close with 1 sl st. into 3rd ch of beg. and make 1 sl st. into next 2 ch to beg. 2nd round in loop of 1st shell. *2nd-14th rounds :* Cont. working, shaping an ellipse with shells and ch, as shown on drawing. Close same as 1st round. *15th-16th rounds :* Make pineapples bottoms with 11 dc, arranging them as shown on drawing (6 along straight parts, 5 along each semicircular end). *17th round :* Rep. for pineapples * 1 sc (1 ch for 1st sc) 3 ch * (you get 10 loops for each pineapple). Between pineapples, shells and ch, as shown on drawing. Close with 1 sl st. into 1st loop of 1st pineapple. *18th round :* Into each loop of pineapples, make 3 dc joined tog. (3 ch for 1st dc), 2 ch. *19th-33rd rounds :* Cont. working as shown on drawing. At 22nd round, make 1 double shell between pineapples. The middle part of double shells is made with 2 dc along straight edges, and 3 dc along semicircular ends. The number of ch between pineapples is also different (see drawing). Cont. working, arranging shells exactly as shown on drawing and diagram.


WORK AS FINISHED
24 cm (9.6 in.)
(152 st. foundation chain)
38 cm (15.2 in.)
59 cm (23.6 in.)

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DOILY "THISTLE FLOWER"

MATERIALS : Six-cord-crochet cotton no. 40, white : 30 g – a crochet hook no. 0.75 (English no. 5.5) (American no. 13).

DIAMETER : 30 cm (12 in.).

EXPLANATIONS : Make 16 ch and join into a ring, with 1 sl st. into 1st ch. *1st round :* 1 ch, 24 sc into ring.

Close with 1 sl st. into 1st sc of round. *2nd round :* Rep. 8 times * 2 tr (4 ch for 1st tr of a round), 4 ch, skip 1 sc of 1st round *. Close with 1 sl st. into 4th ch of beg. and make 1 sl st. more into next 2 st. *3rd round :* Rep. 8 times * 6 tr into loop, 3 ch *. *4th round :* Rep. 8 times * 8 tr, 4 ch *. *5th round :* Rep. * 8 tr joined tog., 10 ch, 1 sc, 10 ch *. *6th round :* 1 sl st. into first 4 ch of 1st loop, 1 ch, then rep. * 1 sc, 12 ch * (you get 16 loops). *7th round :* Rep. * 5 tr, 6 ch *. *8th-12th rounds :* Make alternately 1 round of sc and 1 round of dbl. tr and ch, as shown on drawing. *13th round :* Rep. * 1 sc, 5 ch *, skipping twice 2 st. and once 3 st., to get 96 loops. *14th-22nd rounds :* On with sl st. to middle of 1st loop of round before. Then make 96 loops of 6 ch at each round. *23rd round :* 3 sl st., 1 ch, 1 sc into 1st loop. Then rep. * 3 ch, 5 tr into next loop, 3 ch, 6 loops of 6 ch *. *24th-34th rounds :* Work as shown on drawing. At last round, make picots of 5 ch (4 ch between fans, as shown on drawing), making 1 sl st. into 1st ch of picot.

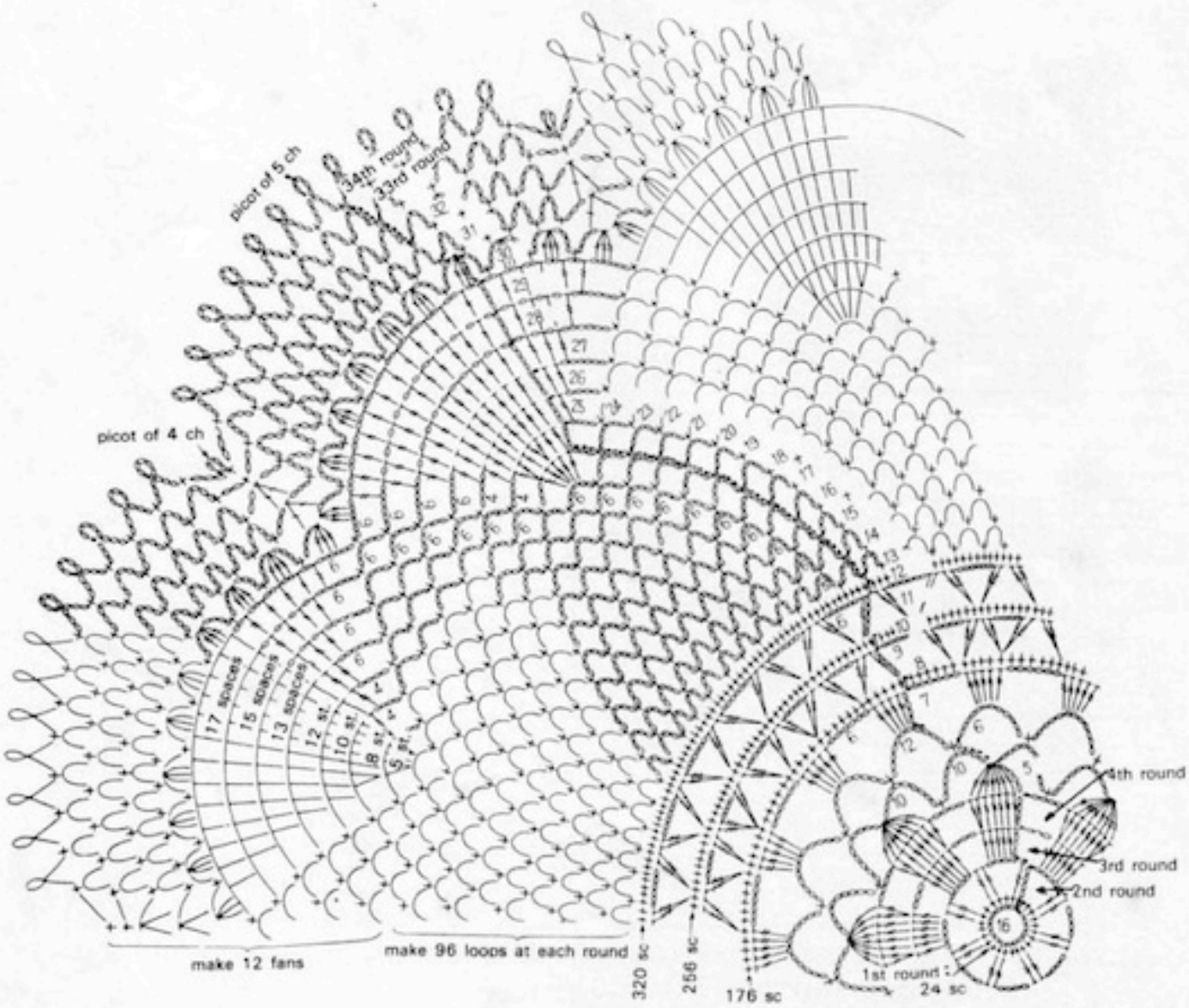


TABLE CENTER "HOLLY-HOCK"

MATERIALS : Soft-knitting twist, 35 g – a crochet hook no. 1 (English no. 4,5) (American no. 11).

DIAMETER : 34 cm (13.6 in.).

EXPLANATIONS : OUTSIDE WINDING RIBBON : Make 10 ch and work back and forth. *1st row :* 1 dc into 6th st. from hook, 1 dc into next 4 ch. *2nd-4th rows :* 5 ch to turn, 5 dc (1 dc into each dc of row before), 2 ch, 1 sl st. into loop at beg. of 1st row, 2 ch, turn, 5 dc, 5 ch, 5 dc, 2 ch, 1 sc into loop of beg. of 1st row, 2 ch, turn. *5th-64th rows :* Rep. * 5 dc, 5 ch * and work straight up to 34 rows. Join next 2 loops (outside edge) to loop before, same as at beg. of work. Cont. straight up. *65th-320th rows :* Rep. first 64 rows 4 times more. While making 320th row, join each dc to bottom of corresponding dc of beg. with 1 sl st.

INSIDE RIBBON : Beg. same as for outside ribbon and work in the same way, joining both ribbons at loops with sc, as shown on drawing. The first 42 rows are repeated 4 times more. Join ends of ribbon same as for outside ribbon.

FILLING : Fill spaces between outside and inside ribbons with 7 rounds of ch, sc and tr, as shown on drawing. Center filling : Make 10 ch and join into a ring, make 1 ch and rep. 10 times * 2 sc into ring, 3 ch, 1 sc into loop of inside ribbon (see drawing), 3 ch *. Close with 1 sl st. into sc of beg.

FINISHING : Join in yarn where indicated, make 3 ch for 1st dc, then make shells (9 or 7 dc, as shown on drawing) with picot of 3 ch and 1 sl st. in the middle of each shell. Between petals, make 2 dc joined tog.. In middle of each petal, make 3 ch, 1 sc and 3 ch. Close round with 1 sl st. into 3rd ch of beg. and break off yarn.

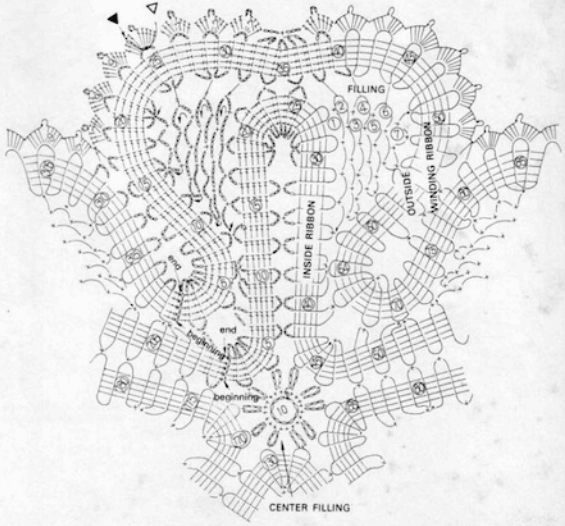
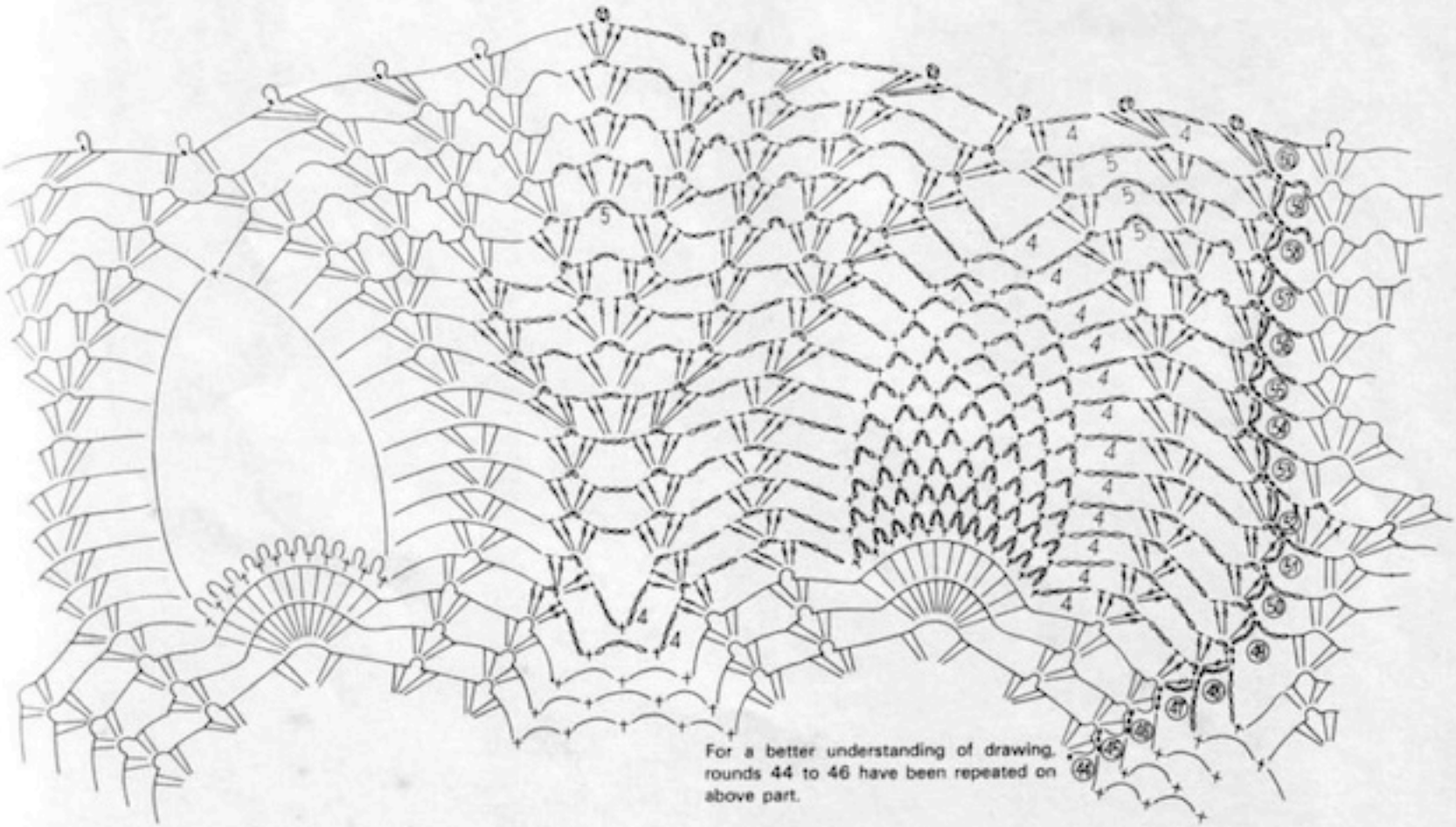


TABLE CENTER "BOUGAINVILLEA"

MATERIALS : Six-cord-crochet cotton no. 40, white : 90 g – a crochet hook no. 0.60 (English no. 7) (American no. 16).

DIAMETER : 59 cm (23.6 in.).

EXPLANATIONS : Make a loop with end of yarn. *1st round :* Rep. 16 times * 1 tr (4 ch for 1st tr), 1 ch *. Close with 1 sl st. into 4th ch of beg. *2nd round :* Rep. 8 times * 2 tr into tr of 1st round, 2 ch, 1 tr into next tr, 2 ch *. *3rd-4th rounds :* tr (widen pineapples bottoms inc. number of tr) and ch, as shown on drawing. *5th round :* 2 sl st. to get to 1st loop of 2 ch of round before, then rep. 8 times * 7 tr into 2 ch loop, 3 ch, 1 tr into tr, 3 ch *. *6th-11th rounds :* Make 1st line of pineapples (8 pineapples A) and at 7th round beg. bottoms of pineapples of 2nd line (8 pineapples B), as shown on drawing. Make all pineapples rep. * 1 sc, 4 ch *. From 7th round, close each round with 1 sl st. into sc of beg. At beg. of each following round, make 2 sl st. to get to middle of 1st loop of round before. *12th-60th rounds :* Cont. working as shown on drawing. Between pineapples of each line, beg. bottom of pineapples of next line. At beg. of each round, make sl st. (as shown on drawing) to get to place where you must begin round. Make 8 pineapples for first 3 lines and 16 pineapples for following lines. At last round, between each group of 2 tr, make 1 picot with 3 ch and 1 sl st. into 1st ch.



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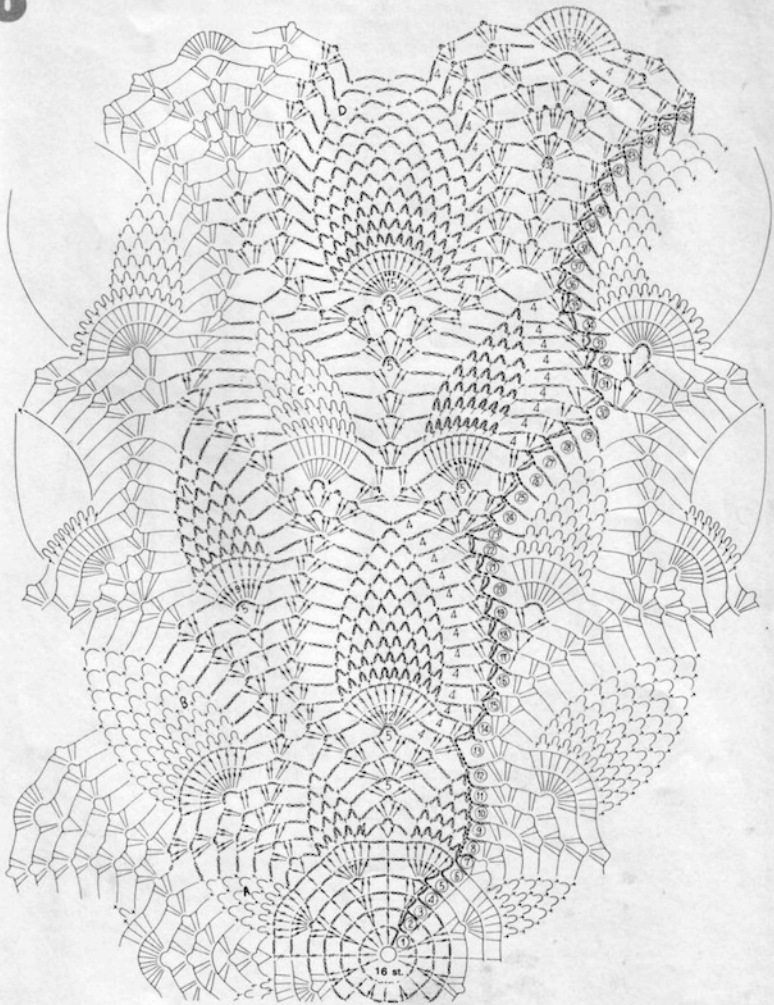
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